

# Pulman's View from Seaton & Beer



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## NatWest stands firm over closure

NATWEST bosses stood firm and refused to reconsider their decision to close the Seaton branch on March 11th.

They came under sustained fire on Thursday, March 5th from an agitated 50 or so-strong crowd in the Town Hall.

In a joint venture, Seaton Town Council and Seaton and District Chamber of Commerce had invited NatWest top brass to explain the hugely unpopular decision.

The arguments have already been well-documented: NatWest says the footfall in the branch is too low, but many local residents and business owners are unhappy with the reduced level of service the closure will bring.

NatWest says services are available at the Post Office and that a mobile banking vehicle visits Seaton once a week for one hour.

NatWest CEO (Exeter and North Devon) Donna Edmonds – who was accompanied by Director of Business Banking Sam Curtis and Director of Commercial Banking (Devon) Steve James – said that footfall in the Seaton branch is in the bottom 20 per cent of the country.

by Anders Larsson  
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The methods for measuring footfall were questioned and one member of the public quickly pointed out that the bank's decision to go from five opening days a week to three played a part in the reduced footfall.

Bank bosses were also accused of short-sightedness, not taking into account the current growth of Seaton with houses and flats being built in the hundreds – plus the construction of the Jurassic centre.

Chamber of Commerce chairman Marcus Hartnell has made 'test runs' at both the post office and mobile banking facility. He said there are cash restrictions at the mobile unit and that he sometimes had to fill in

two slips, being charged twice as a result.

As for the post office alternative, he said: "Cash doesn't hit my account until the next day, which is not good for cash flow – and cheques take three to five working days before even processed."

"The solutions you are coming up with are not good enough."

The meeting lasted about 90 minutes and came to a close when a member of the public asked for one year's stay of execution.

Mayor Gaynor Sedgwick formally repeated the request, but CEO Donna Edmonds said: "We care about our customers but I'm not going to sit here and say we are overturning the decision."

"It was my decision. I haven't said I think it is the wrong decision. At the moment it feels like the right decision."

Some of those present indicated they will take the matter higher up the NatWest chain of command in an attempt to reverse the closure.



■ HOW COULD YOU? John Cooper's family has banked with NatWest for five generations and he was not happy with the closure plans. He put his views across to Seaton mayor Gaynor Sedgwick, Donna Edmonds, Sam Curtis, Steve James (all NatWest) and chamber chairman Marcus Hartnell (obscured)

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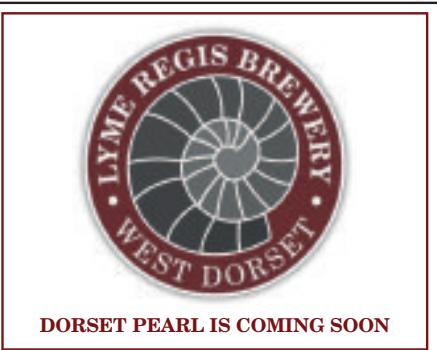
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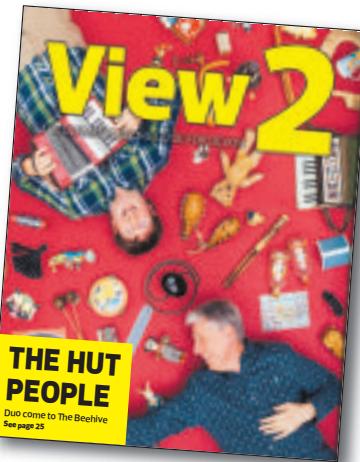
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## PEOPLE IN THE NEWS



**SIDMOUTH:** Matt Booth, East Devon Alliance electoral candidate, in a row over his allegedly offensive social media posts



**OTTERY:** Margaret Hall, leader of the West Hill Parish Campaign Group, which wants the village to split from Ottery St Mary



**HONITON:** Jackie Greenaway, a nurse with Hospiscare which smashed its fundraising target of £250,000



**AXMINSTER:** Jolyon Chesworth has been appointed education director of locally-based charity The Trill Trust

## Quotes of the week...

**“** I would rather stick white hot pins and needles in my eyes than share a room with anyone remotely associated with half-wits like Matt Booth.”

*Honiton councillor Phil Twiss, in an email to the East Devon Alliance leadership, for which Mr Booth is a candidate, rejecting a public debate*

**“** ... the Conservatives force through a vote, just days before the election period starts. What a disrespectful way to run a council.”

*Independent Sidmouth councillor Claire Wright, on East Devon District Council's decision to sell part of its headquarters site to developers*

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## Bedsits plan for former dentist's

**AXMINSTER** Town Council welcomes five potential town centre bedsits but "deplores" the fact that work has started before plans have been approved.

The idea is to turn the former premises of Axminster Dental Practice at 19 St George's, Chard Street, into five bedsits.

The applicant says the bedsits would be aimed at youngsters looking to leave the parental home and live independently.

East Devon District Council (EDDC) planning officers have an issue with overlooking and members of the Development Management Committee deferred the matter for further consultation and determination of lawful use.

The application has been submitted by St George's Properties Axminster Ltd, whose planning agent said: "The applicant is aware of the situation in Axminster where local youngsters find it difficult to leave the parental home and set up independent lives due to the very high cost of property in the area."

"Government schemes are in place to ease the situation, but the applicant feels that these are aimed at mainly young people looking to settle down fairly permanently rather than those who merely wish to take the first steps toward 'leaving the nest'. In the light of this, the applicant feels that 19 St George's can provide economic bedsit accommodation, probably for some of those not fortunate enough to experience the lifestyle at university, but who nonetheless wish to embark on independent living away from home."

The application was heard by the Development Management Committee on March 3rd, and an EDDC spokesperson explained: "The application was deferred to allow officers to determine the lawful use of the upper floor and to allow for consultation on the proposed window screening which had been submitted by the applicant after the committee papers had been published."

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## From the editor's chair Public debate looks doubtful

**IN A** little less than nine weeks time we shall be going to the polls and it is generally accepted that this General Election will be the dirtiest fought for some time.

With the East Devon Alliance entering the fray in the local elections on May 7th, challenging the Tory controlled council by fielding candidates in most seats, it looks as though the fight for EDDC seats will be just as robust.

Following a spat between local Tory whip Phil Twiss and EDA Sidmouth candidate Matt Booth over alleged inappropriate emails, the EDA challenged Councillor Twiss to a public debate and asked me if I would chair such a meeting.

I agreed in the hope that if it happened we could have an adult debate on the issues facing East Devon during these difficult days for local government.

I have already been accused of showing undue favouritism to the EDA and being ultra-critical of the current Tory regime. So I doubt that me taking the chair will be very popular in certain quarters. But I am prepared to give it a go.

However, it seems that such a debate is un-

likely to take place with Councillor Twiss rejecting the offer, saying he would rather "stick white hot pins and needles in his eyes than share a room with Matt Booth!" That'll be a no then.

I understand that the EDA are passing on their invitation to other high ranking Tories, including leader Paul Diviani.

One high profile East Devon Conservative told me he did not think there was much to be gained from the Tories entering the fray in this manner.

He pointed out that they enjoyed a huge majority (42 seats out of 58) on East Devon District Council and whilst they should take the EDA seriously, they did not feel they would make much of an impact on May 7th.

I have seen the email correspondence that has been going and froing between Councillor Twiss and EDA chairman Paul Arnott, some of which I believe verges on the actionable.

If the top Tories say 'yes' to a debate, the chances of it being a constructive debate are slim indeed.

**PHILIP EVANS**



### HONITON

## Facebook post spark election row

**HONITON** pensioners have been urged to make their voices heard ahead of the local and national elections in May, after concerns were raised that they are being portrayed as a "drain on society".

Neil Duncan-Jordan, the head of the National Pensioners Convention, delivered the message to a meeting of the Honiton Senior Voice group, warning that older people must fight to secure a fair deal from politicians.

Mr Duncan-Jordan said it was important for local pensioners to dispel negative "myths" about older people in the run-up to polling day.

The call to arms came in the same week that new research showed a third of people over 60 in the South West feel "invisible" to the major political parties.

Speaking at Honiton Methodist Church in New Street, Mr Duncan-Jordan encouraged the town's older people to "raise hard questions" with the candidates competing for their votes.

"To listen to some politicians at the coming election, you might think older people – not the banking crisis – are the cause of our economic problems," he said.

"We are often portrayed in a negative way, as a drain on society, whether we are acting as 'bed blockers' or joy-riding with our bus passes. Our interests are even set against those of young people whom we care for."

"While there are better-off retirees, the majority of pensioners have an income of less than £10,500 – below the poverty line."



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# Facebook posts spark row

A SENIOR East Devon councillor has sparked a social media row, after accusing a rival political candidate of using "offensive" language online, writes JACK DIXON.

Conservative councillor Phil Twiss, who represents the Honiton St Michael's ward, criticised the "destructive views" of an East Devon Alliance candidate standing for election in Sidmouth.

Councillor Twiss highlighted a string of "irresponsible" Facebook posts made by EDA candidate Matt Booth, who announced his intention to run for a district council seat last month.

The Honiton councillor, who has since taken his complaints to East Devon District Council's elections officer, pointed to examples of language "many would find offensive" used by Mr Booth to criticise Conservative party policies.

He also claimed that Mr Booth's comments exposed the EDA, which formed recently to provide an umbrella organisation for independents, as a "complete sham", working with other parties to unseat Conservatives at the elections in May.

In a statement on behalf of the EDDC Conservative group, Councillor Twiss said: "Mr Booth states that ... far from being a group of independents standing under an umbrella organisation, the EDA is a complete sham, orchestrating a campaign with the Labour, Liberal Democrat and Green parties to replace the Conservative administration at EDDC and, therefore, subject to the whims of the party line – not independent by anyone's stretch of the imagination."

Councillor Twiss referred to a particular comment made by Mr Booth via Facebook on February 4th, shortly after the EDA announced its launch as a political party, which read: "Announced today this is what we're doing across East Devon to take control of the Tory led district council in May. Has been planned with Lab, Lib Dems and Greens. Whatever you have to do don't let them back in."

Councillor Twiss suggested the party was "misleading" members of the public about its intentions, and that he had taken his concerns to EDDC's election officer.

He also highlighted a series of posts in which Mr Booth had used expletives in criticising national Conservative party figures, adding: "Some views expressed by Mr Booth – using language many would find offensive – aside from being irresponsible, offer no plan or solution to key issues that are in the best interests of all of the taxpayers of East Devon. They are destructive, not constructive."

"He is clearly wedded and associated to another place, with no obvious loyalty or affinity to Sidmouth. The electorate there must decide if Mr Booth and others in the EDA party are fit and proper people to represent them and stop misleading people into thinking that they are something they quite obviously are not."

The fledgling EDA party was launched last month and is intending to challenge for at least 40 of the district council seats in May.

Last month, the party announced seven candidates to stand in Sidmouth, including Mr Booth, who will compete to represent the Sidmouth Town ward.

Responding to the allegations, Mr Booth said: "I, of course, apologise if any comments I made on Facebook may have upset anybody or caused offence, but in my view there are much more important things to be dealing with."

"However, if this is the way that Mr Twiss would like to carry on, then he is more than welcome to come and look through my bins as well."

EDA leader Councillor Ben Ingham said it was important for candidates to be "thoughtful" about what they say in public, but that the issue had since been dealt with.

He said: "I don't use Facebook so am blissfully unaware of this, but I have been told what happened. I have been assured that Matt Booth has dealt with these Facebook issues appropriately."

"In hindsight, freedom of speech is a wonderful thing but within local politics each of us has to be very thoughtful about what we say in public."

"I have been assured that any mistake he has made has been put right already. Unfortunately, the same cannot be said for the series of mistakes Councillor Twiss has been making for the last four years. Hopefully the people of Honiton will put this right for us all on May 7th."

In November Councillor Twiss made similar complaints to Devon and Cornwall Police's cybercrime unit about comments posted on independent councillor Claire Wright's website, which referred to a "cull" of Conservatives in East Devon. No further action was taken after the incident was reported.

In response to the latest allegations, EDA chairman Paul Arnott denied there was any connection between the alliance and other political parties.

He said: "Councillor Twiss' latest assertion about the East Devon Alliance arises from his not engaging with opponents' ideas, but fumbling for snippets about them online, like Billy Bunter at a keyhole."

"A brief phone call to any of the party leaders in East Devon would immediately have told him that our alliance of independent candidates has no connection at all with any of them."

"To make this crystal clear, I have been chairman of the EDA for this entire process and have not had a single communication with any local, national or interplanetary leaders, or minions of any political parties. When I say independent, I mean independent."

"I hope he will take this in the spirit intended when I give him the advice I give my four children, which is, for heaven's sake get off Facebook and get a life."

● FOLLOWING a heated exchange of emails between Councillor Twiss and Mr Arnott, seen by *Pulman's View*, the EDA leadership has challenged Conservative councillors Twiss and Paul Diviani to a public debate in Honiton, with the proceeds from ticket sales to be donated to local charities.

*Pulman's View* understands that Councillor Twiss has rejected an offer to participate in the debate. In an email to Mr Arnott, Cllr Twiss said he would "rather stick white hot pins and needles in my eyes than share a room with anyone remotely associated with half-wits like Matt Booth."

# Local traders have their say

STOP the attitude of "poor little Seaton" was one of many messages to emerge from the town council's inaugural summit with members of the business community, writes ANDERS LARSSON.

The event attracted about 80 people, who listed a wide selection of problems – and potential solutions.

Those assembled had various backgrounds, so different experiences to share – from a dramatic fall in turnover to great hopes for the future.

Although not necessarily unanimous, the general consensus was that the town centre trading climate had deteriorated since the holiday complex closed and a Tesco branch was built on the site.

Although Tesco brings a significant number of people, it was generally felt that the supermarket's customers don't come into the town centre.

This begged the question: How to tap into the Tesco patronage?

Other issues that arose included parking problems, traffic matters, a lack of sign posting for the town

centre and a lack of attractions in the town (including on the beach).

Although there were no magic wands, it was felt that the summit was a good initiative and a step in the right direction, but the town council didn't escape criticism.

Mayor Gaynor Sedgwick, for example, has appeared in a number of newspaper articles welcoming new shops to the town.

But one businessman said: "The propaganda is positive, but the turnover of businesses is not benefitting the town. They come there on short leases and see how it

goes."

After business owners had listed their concerns and possible solutions, the summit went into a workshop-style mode.

Speaking to *Pulman's View* after the summit, Mayor Gaynor Sedgwick said: "I felt it was a really positive meeting."

"Yes, there was concern, but also positivity about the town. We will collate the information and meet with the businesses again, and some of the ideas will be put on the town council's March agenda."



■ THE TASK AHEAD | Mayor Gaynor Sedgwick and her fellow town councillor Dawn Squire compiled a long list

# Green Party welcomes influx of new members

EAST Devon Green Party celebrated the arrival of more than 100 new members at the February monthly meeting.

At the meeting, held on the February 12th at Sidmouth Unitarian Church, long-term party members were outnumbered by all the new arrivals.

Green Party co-ordinator Emily McIvor said: "The meeting was really positive and it was great to see

so many new faces, we have had around 100 new members join since last October and we are looking forward as a group to ensuring an active Green Party presence across the district in the lead up to the elections."

The party has selected Paul Edwards as parliamentary candidate for Tiverton and Honiton constituency.



## National Trust seeking new volunteers

THE National Trust in East Devon is on the lookout for new volunteers to help manage countryside and coast.

Whether you love getting your boots muddy and being active rain or shine, or are more at home welcoming visitors, the trust is seeking people with a passion for their local area.

A volunteer open day will be held on Saturday, April 11th at Branscombe Village Hall. The National Trust team is based at Branscombe but covers a much wider area from Honiton to Exmouth. Caring for cliffs, hill forts, heritage sites, beaches and woodland, the volunteer jobs are as varied as the places they look after.

Area ranger Ruby Cole said: "We are looking for volunteer countryside rangers to help with coppicing, hedge-laying, strimming, replacing steps and orchard pruning.

"We'd also love to create a new beach volunteer group to help welcome visitors to this important

part of the Jurassic coastline and we need help from someone who can work from home, creating newsletters for our volunteer team.

"In addition to these new opportunities we are always on the lookout for more room guides to share their passion for history at Shute Barton, near Axminster and Manor Mill in Branscombe.

"Depending on the role you don't need to commit to volunteering every week (although it would be great if you can) and there are options both during the week and at weekends – just come along and have a chat."

Georgie Toogood has been helping the ranger team for four months and said: "I like working in a team, learning new skills; and I love the way it makes me feel at the end of the day, healthily tired and happy."

The volunteer open day is between 1pm and 4pm. For more information, contact Ruby Cole on 01297 680507.

## Probus members learn to plan for the unexpected

ENTITLED "Planning for the Unexpected", members of the Seaton and District Men's Probus Club did not know what to expect from the talk ahead of their latest meeting.

As it turned out the presentation proved very interesting and relevant for members. Speaker Ian Hunt used his personal experience of a sudden, near-fatal illness when still in his 20s to illustrate how we never know what is around the corner and how this had made him grasp opportunities that he would otherwise have put off.

This, and his experience as a solicitor helping people after accidents or illness has hit, has led Ian to propound a simple message: plan, talk and live.

Making a will and ensuring that this is updated as necessary is one of the most important planning measures we can take, and a show of hands by his audience satisfied him that members had this well covered.

There was less awareness of the advantages of having a Power of Attorney completed, and of some of the other actions we can take to ensure our wishes are carried out. Talking to our spouses and/or families, discussing our wishes and intentions with them whilst we are able, will help to minimise problems at a later stage.

### Unattended pan smokes out flat

HEAVY smoke developed in a Honiton flat when a pan was left unattended on a cooker. Firefighters were called to Westcott Way at 10.55am on Friday, March 6th.

A spokesperson for the fire and rescue service said: "The crews gained entry to the property via the front door. The flat was heavily smoke-logged. A pan had been left on an electric cooker, so crews removed the pan to open air and isolated the electrics. The cause of the fire was accidental."

Ian concluded by saying that once the planning and talking had been done, we should not forget to get on and enjoy our lives. A message that many of members had already taken on board and the rest no doubt will after this presentation!

THIS month, George Williams made a welcome return to the Probus Club to talk about his time in the RAF.

He entertained the members with a series of anecdotes describing his five years in the RAF as a medic. After his initial training, George worked at air bases in Suffolk and Cambridgeshire and particularly enjoyed the time he spent in orthopaedics. His tales of the characters he had met and the situations that had enveloped caused a great deal of merriment.

The next meeting is of Seaton and District Men's Probus Club will be held on Wednesday, March 18th when Kay Townsend will return to talk about "The History of Bumper Cars".

Meetings, which commence at 10am are held at St Gregory's Church Centre, Colyford Road, Seaton. The club for retired or semi-retired professional men welcomes new members - ring Keith West on 01297 624374 for further information or visit [www.seatonprobus.co.uk](http://www.seatonprobus.co.uk)

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# Medical practice receives 'good' rating after inspection

AXMINSTER Medical Practice has been awarded the second highest overall Care Quality Commission (CQC) rating.

It is the practice's first inspection since the CQC implemented its new grading system. Various aspects of practice life are inspected by using a four-level grading system - outstanding, good, requires improvement and inadequate. Each aspect is graded individually, which forms the base for the overall grading.

Summarising, Professor Steve Field, chief inspector of general practice, said about Axminster Medical Practice: "Patients reported having good access to appointments at the practice and liked

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having a named GP which improved their continuity of care.

"The practice was clean, organised, with facilities and equipment to consult with, examine and treat patients. There were effective infection control procedures in place.

"Feedback from patients about their current care and treatment was consistently positive. Staff were motivated and inspired to offer kind and compassionate care and worked to overcome obstacles to achieving this.

"Views of external stakeholders were very positive and aligned with our findings. The practice was well-led and had a clear leadership structure in place whilst retaining a sense of mutual respect and team work.

"There were systems in place to monitor and improve quality and identify risk and systems to manage emergencies. Patients felt safe in the hands of the staff and felt confident in clinical decisions made.

"There were effective safeguarding procedures in place. Significant events, complaints and incidents were investigated and discussed. Learning from these events was performed and communicated amongst all staff.

"We saw one area of outstanding practice: the practice provided carers with health and wellbeing checks, these detailed health checks were followed by a discussion session on a one to one basis with the carer about their needs and what other services may be available to them.

"However, there were also areas of practice where the provider needs to make improvements. Importantly, the provider should; ensure that there is a record of the distribution of blank loose leaf prescriptions; ensure that a standard operating procedure is in place for the safe storage and use of liquid nitrogen."

## Drama club to celebrate 70 years

AXMINSTER Drama Club turns 70 this month, and past and current members and supporters will celebrate in style.

The club was formed on March 19th 1945 and its first production was "Hayfever" that year. 1968 saw the club's first pantomime, Aladdin, and since then the club has produced a pantomime as well as a play or musical show pretty much every year.

In July 1992 the club purchased the Plaza (formerly the old Shand Factory Social Club) behind The Guildhall, which was formerly regarded as one of the best dance halls in East Devon and was well used during the war by visiting service personnel and locals.

As well as housing a clubroom, which doubles up as a rehearsal space, The Plaza is now home to literally thousands of costumes made, altered and reused and hundreds of pieces of scenery and props, which have a habit of being recycled and reappearing as something

completely different.

Club member Tim Leat said: "Over the years a great many Axminster residents, both young and old, have had their first experience of appearing on stage as well as being well entertained thanks to the club.

"To celebrate the birthday, Axminster Drama Club would like to thank all its loyal supporters by offering a unique evening of entertainment, free of charge, as well as inviting back its past members and giving them an opportunity to reminisce via the clubs old scrap books and display of past shows."

The ADC Birthday Bash will take place on Saturday, March 21st from 7.30pm in the Guildhall when current members will perform a variety of singing, dancing and acting as well as the cutting of "an enormous cake".

Free tickets for the night can be reserved by phoning current chairman Sara Leat on 01297 35187 or by emailing Norrlet@aol.com

## Special meeting called to discuss development of east end of town

AXMINSTER Town Council has called an Extraordinary General Meeting to discuss a developer's proposal to build up to 75 homes, including 25 per cent affordable housing, on land between Lyme Road and Sector Lane.

An application for outline planning permission has been submitted by Persimmon Homes (SW) Ltd. The applicant has also outlined a larger area east of the town, between Lyme Road and Millwey Rise, which could be developed as a "strategic masterplan" in the future, to include more housing, job opportunities, a new school, open spaces and sports and play facilities.

This larger area has been split into three sections with the current application for 75 homes being on the "southern site".

The planning application says the "strategic masterplan" offers the opportunity to "create an attractive new neighbourhood that helps meet

the growth aspirations for Axminster and ensure future sustainability of services in the town".

The final decision will be made by East Devon District Council but, as part of the planning process, Axminster Town Council will make a recommendation.

Town councillors will discuss the application during the EGM, which has been called for 7.30pm on Monday, March 16th in the Guildhall. The EGM will be immediately followed by the annual parish meeting.

Outline planning permission is sought to establish if the location concerned is suitable for the type of development proposed. If it is, a full planning application must be submitted and approved before construction can start.

Full details of the planning application can be viewed online at <http://bit.ly/1Ev6Vpu>

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HEAD shaves and cake sales were just some of the activities held by staff and students at Axe Valley Community College in Axminster to raise money for Sightsavers. Senior members of staff were among those "targeted" including Mr Perks who had his legs waxed and Mr Horn who had his head shaved. Sightsavers fights what is known as preventable and avoidable blindness. A spokesperson explained: "We want to eliminate avoidable blindness and get equality for people with disabilities. We help blind people to see, prevent others from going blind unnecessarily, and support people to live independently if their sight loss can't be undone. The causes of avoidable blindness go further than eye disease, so we don't just slap a sticking-plaster on the problem – we campaign to make a fairer world and change lives for the long term." Pictured above, organisers Amber and Charley and, below, a popular cake sale



THE Trill Trust, an educational charity based at Trill Farm, near Axminster, has appointed its first director of education.

Jolyon Chesworth (pictured) has been selected as the first director and his job description is "to develop and implement a strategy for education at Trill using the beautiful habitats and wildlife on the farm as the basis of learning; to manage and promote the annual programme of courses and events hosted at Trill Farm; and to strengthen Trill's relationship with local and regional environmental educational communities".

He has a passion for the natural environment, having spent the last 15 years working for conservation organisations to help protect our wonderfully rich habitats and wildlife.

Jolyon said: "I'm never happier than when outside, wandering around the woods and meadows, or down on the seashore exploring the rockpools."

"I love experiencing the change of seasons and there is now a wealth of evidence that demonstrates that the simple act of being outside, soaking up the sights and sounds and discovering new things, contributes so much to our physical and mental health and wellbeing.

"But it is easy to get sidetracked by our busy lives, and to forget all this, and to take for granted what our natural environment does for us.

"My aim at The Trill Trust is simple, to provide inspiration and opportunities that allow people to re-connect with this incredible natural environment, to learn from it and to develop a strong desire, and the knowledge, to take care of it so that it will continue to bring us the benefits that we can sometimes forget."

"Trill Farm is a wonderful classroom and I'm really keen to hear from other education providers in the area to explore ideas for potential collaboration and how we can make best use of Trill and turn the trust and the farm in to a real community asset."

## Trill appoints first director of education



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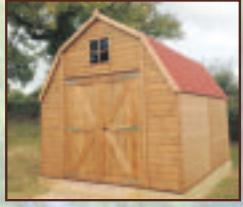
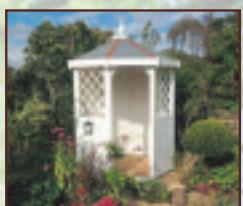
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## Gordon says goodbye



SEATON bus driver Gordon Wilkes was given an emotional send-off by some of his passengers to mark his final journey last month (February 27th), writes KEVIN FAHEY.

Mr Wilkes has been safely picking up and delivering his passengers on the privately-owned Axe Valley Mini Travel 899 service between Sidmouth and Seaton, via Branscombe and Beer, for the past five years.

With some of the narrowest, trickiest roads in East Devon – which swell with traffic in the summer – that has been no easy job but Mr Wilkes has loved every minute of it.

"You have to be careful and patient but there is always room to pass and you have to be willing to give a bit," said Mr Wilkes.

"And I have got out and reversed a fair few cars in my time as well!"

He used to drive lorries in and around London before re-locating to Seaton where initially he drove the Seaton town bus before transferring to the popular 899 service.

"I wanted to escape the rat race and the terrible traffic and the biggest problem I get now is sheep, cows or pigs in the road!" added Mr Wilkes.

"It is a totally different environment – and the views aren't bad either."

Mr Wilkes delayed his retirement by two years – he turned 67 on March 4th – because he enjoyed his job so much and there is little doubt that he will be missed.

"Gordon is a fantastic driver and so friendly and helpful," said regular Beer user Ursula Makepeace.

"He knows all our names and is quite happy to drop customers off near their homes. He will be greatly missed."

Mrs Makepeace has been instrumental in arranging for around 100 people to sign a retirement card and organising a gift for Mr Wilkes.

"People who use the bus have been very generous which just goes to show how much they think of Gordon," she added.

ACCESS for the disabled to Seaton Wetlands has been secured for another 12 months thanks to a £850 grant.

East Devon District Council's (EDDC) Countryside team is delighted with the grant from Devon County Council's Locality Budget, which will pay for another year's lease of the 'Tramper', an off-road mobility scooter.

County councillor Jim Knight, who approved the grant, said: "It gives me great pleasure in supporting the Countryside team in their endeavours to make sure that people with a disability can access our lovely Seaton Wetlands, and what better way than to sponsor a tramper vehicle for the forthcoming season.

"I am confident that this off-road mobility scooter will raise the spirits and well-being of all those that take the opportunity to see the



■ TRAMPLING ALL OVER | Countryside ranger Emma Jones demonstrating the Tramper

# Grant secures disabled access to Wetlands

by Anders Larsson

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wonderful Seaton Wetlands."

The Tramper is leased from Living Options Devon, whose Countryside Mobility Scheme provides Trampers for hire across the South West.

EDDC spokesperson said: "It allows a whole new world to open up for people with limited mobility, who may previously have been unable to accompany family or friends exploring the countryside."

"Now, thanks to the award from the Locality Budget, they will be able to enjoy the path-

## GRIZZLY SPIRIT

AN ELECTED Seaton town councillor and a town council official adopted the Grizzly spirit by running the event's cub run.

Seaton town clerk Chris Drake and town councillor Sharon Bruce lined up for the annual showpiece on Sunday, March 1st.

Sharon said: "I decided to take part as I turn 50 this year. My preparations included regular walking my dogs and eating porridge.

"Chris was amazing and supportive, and I hope he does it again as he patiently stayed with me from the beginning to the finish.

"The Grizzly is one of the best annual events for Seaton. The nine-mile run was tough but I enjoyed the care and support of Chris, my family and friends and all those that called out 'Sharon' as I passed them – thank you."

Her official time was 2:18:17, Mr Drake finishing in 2:18:19.

ways around Black Hole Marsh, have a picnic in the pond shelter or watch wildlife from the Discovery Hut or Island hide."

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## Teen crash driver 'extremely lucky'

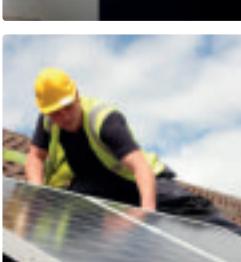
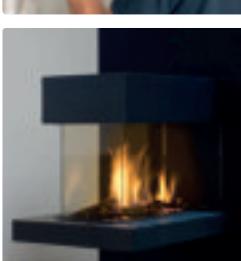
A SEATON teenager has been deemed "extremely lucky" to have escaped a car accident with a minor head injury.

Police are appealing for witnesses to the accident, which happened at about 10:15am on Thursday, March 5th on the A3052 between Rousdon and Lyme Regis.

PC Steve Spearritt said: "A Totota Aygo, being driven from Lyme Regis to Seaton, had to swerve to avoid a white van travelling in the opposite direction. The Toyota then collided with a telegraph pole breaking it in half and came to a rest on its roof."

"The driver, an 18-year-old woman from Seaton was extremely lucky in that she only sustained a minor injury to her head."

"We would like to hear from anybody who witnessed the collision, especially if you saw a white van in the area at the time. If you do have any information please call 101 quoting log number 230 05/03/15."



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A DOG has become an instant hit with patients at Seaton Hospital.

Former guide dog Tuppence visits the wards every Wednesday morning as part of an initiative by a charity called Pets As Therapy (PAT).

Tuppence's owner, Brian Vaughton, explained: "The Axminster Hospital patients who have been transferred to Seaton Hospital have gained at least one important bonus.

"There is a weekly visitor who is currently proving a major talking point on all the wards.

"Indeed, the Seaton nurses have designed a special poster to advise all new in-patients that they might well meet a special visitor to aid their recovery.

"Tuppence originally worked as a guide dog for the blind until she had to be withdrawn due to problems arising with the blind lady she was looking after.

"Tuppence was awaiting rehoming when, very fortunately, our paths met about two years ago she became a PAT dog.

"Apart from Seaton Hospital we go to Bymead Residential Home, Charmouth, plus a few special home visits - and we also do the odd talk to primary schools."

Mr Vaughton is an assessor for PAT, and added: "There is a great lack of active PAT dogs in this area compared with other regions of the country."

Anyone interested in the services of a visiting dog, or in providing a dog, can visit [www.petsastherapy.org](http://www.petsastherapy.org) for more information

# Man dies on coast path

EMERGENCY crews were unable to resuscitate a man after he collapsed on the coast path between Lyme Regis and Seaton.

Coastguards, police and ambulance crews were called to the coast path above Chariton Bay, near the old pumping station at the Rousdon landslip, at about 2:20pm on Friday following reports of a man who had collapsed.

Lyme Regis lifeboat also attended following reports of a body on the beach but, on arrival, found the body to be on the cliffs above.

Two crew members went ashore to assist in the rescue attempt.

The man was found beside the path unconscious and not breathing.

Members of Beer Coastguards, the police and paramedics gave the man CPR until the Haz-

ardous Area Response Team arrived to continue treatment, but the man was pronounced dead at the scene.

A spokesperson for Beer Coastguards said: "Despite everybody's best efforts the casualty could not be resuscitated.

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# Fun and laughter at Honiton pantomime

THIS was my first visit to The Beehive in Honiton, having heard good things about both the venue and Honiton Pantomime Society.

I wasn't disappointed on either front and was treated to an excellent night of entertainment in a really lovely modern venue.

'Sleeping Beauty', staged in the Joanna Leach Hall, had set and effects built entirely in-house which were very impressive.

They created a wonderfully large space for the young exuberant chorus to sing and dance their way through two hours of fun and laughter.

The opening number 'Tonight's Gonna Be A Good Night' was a true reflection of what was to come.

In dazzling costumes we were taken

## REVIEW

by NICKY SWEETLAND  
HONITON PANTOMIME SOCIETY  
**'Sleeping Beauty'**  
Sat 21st Feb

through the story of 'Sleeping Beauty'. A hilarious script by Ben Crocker, performed with a very high level of professionalism, made for a very slick and polished show all round.

Teenager Chloe Pottinger led the cast as the beautiful princess Aurora and lived up to her name.

With a sublime rendition Disney's 'I

See The Light' Pottinger showed her prowess as a very talented performer. Supported by Abi Jennings as Prince Orlando, the two cut a dash as the star crossed lovers.

Although a relatively small role, Jennings left her mark and showed some lovely comedic qualities in her clashes with the Evil Carabosse, Shaun Bonetta.

Bonetta commanded the stage and reveled in every boo and hiss the Saturday night audience threw at him.

His melodic moggie side kicks, Amelia Hibbert and Tracey Bonetta were so cool and sassy, and their interactions with the sweet palace kitties Sarah Pottinger and Jaime Crudge were delightful.

This was a cast filled with talent and a very high standard of singing.

Particular mention should go to Beth Hibbert as the fairy, Peaceful. Beth has a lovely voice and with fabulous support from her band of fairies – Zoe Kidson, Jaron Bonetta and Charlie Craig – helped to keep the show at a good pace.

Jaron's 'I Am A J20 Drinker' was gorgeous, showing he's definitely a star of the future.

The majestic Nick Bussan as King Norbert along with Queen Dorothy (Jeff Hutchinson) and Billy (Lou Pottinger) provided much of the comic content, most notably in a very well rehearsed slapstick cake baking scene which was side-splitting.

The only negative was that at times the sound was a little too quiet, particularly when characters moved further back and away from the front of stage microphones.

The cast were ably supported by an

excellent four piece live band lead by Ian Bonetta, Shaun Bonetta, Tracey Bonetta, Jaime Crudge, Lou Pottinger, Sarah Pottinger, Chloe Pottinger, Zara Stillitoe, Lauren Craig, Charlie Craig, Richard Maddox, Barbara Manley, Elena Duffin, Sarah Wood, Jack Haigh

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## Local firms team up for Red Nose Day event

THE Garden Shop in Colyton teamed up with Snows Toyota of Honiton to host a day of fundraising activities for Comic Relief. The early Red Nose Day event included a popular car wash, with staff from Snows kept busy with their buckets and sponges all day. There was also live music from Harmony and Stone Fox, a hog roast, cake stalls, a raffle and other activities to keep the whole community entertained. Colyton Caterpillars Pre-School held a chocolate tombola while Icing Occasions helped children decorate their own cupcakes. Staff from the Garden Shop were also busy serving in their cafe, with £1 from every cup of coffee sold going towards the cause thanks to Carwadines Coffee. The event raised an estimated £1,000 for Comic Relief. Sue Brown from the Garden Shop said: "Thank you to everybody for supporting us - all the staff who worked for free and donated their tips, all our suppliers who donated and everybody who attended. We were stunned by everybody's generosity." Pictured above, staff from Snows Toyota and the Garden Shop and, right, a drumming group provided entertainment.



## Local firemen offer top safety tips to Honiton WI members



### Women's Institutes ROUND UP

#### HONITON EVENING

NEARLY 30 members welcomed one new member and one visitor to the February meeting of Honiton Evening WI in the presence of three firemen from the Devon & Somerset Fire & Rescue Service.

Rob Petrie was accompanied by Chris Jenkins and Ed Lidster to talk about fire prevention. Members heard of the many and varied circumstances that cause fires in the home, nearly all of which are down to human error. For example, faulty wiring, chimneys not cleaned regularly, cigarettes and candles left unattended. But, possibly not surprising, the fires in our houses that top the list start in the kitchen.

The group held a fire-related competition with the theme "something made from matches". This was won by Jean Donald with a perfect wood-framed and fabric miniature deckchair.

Nationally, the WI celebrates its centenary this year. One of the many events being held is a baton being passed round the 69 federations throughout England, Wales and The Islands, spending one week with each. The journey started in January 2014 and will end on June 4th at the annual meeting in the Royal Albert Hall, London. The WI in Cornwall passed the baton to Devon at the Tamar Bridge on February 24th and Honiton WI members will have the opportunity to attend baton events in Sidmouth and Exeter before Devon hands it to Somerset Federation on March 3rd.

During March, extra Honiton Evening WI events will be an evening friendly skittles match, and one member is forming a crochet group to be held in her home once a month.

The next meeting in the Methodist Chapel will be at 7.15pm on March 17th when Derek March will talk about the secrets of a walled garden. The members' competition will be a miniature scarecrow. Visitors are always welcome.



**IN UNIFORM:** Rob Petrie with WI member Lesley Starkey

## New committee needed for produce association

IT is hoped that a new committee can be formed to take a village association forward.

The Combpyne-Rousdon Produce Association has been in existence for over 60 years in various forms, but last year the annual flower and produce show was cancelled due to lack of support.

On Thursday, March 19th the association will hold its annual general meeting, open to all, in Peek Hall, Rousdon, at 7.30pm. It is hoped that a new committee can be formed to take the show and the association forward once again.

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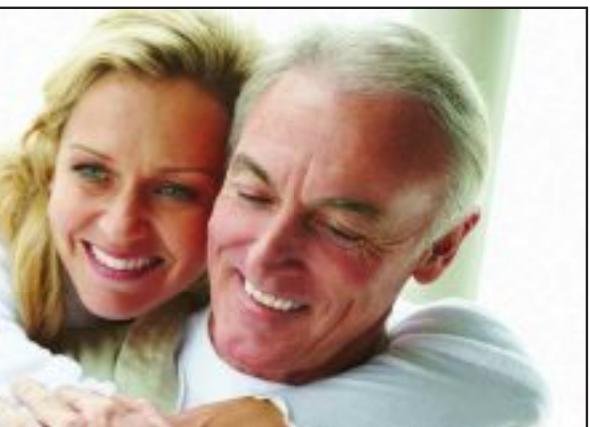
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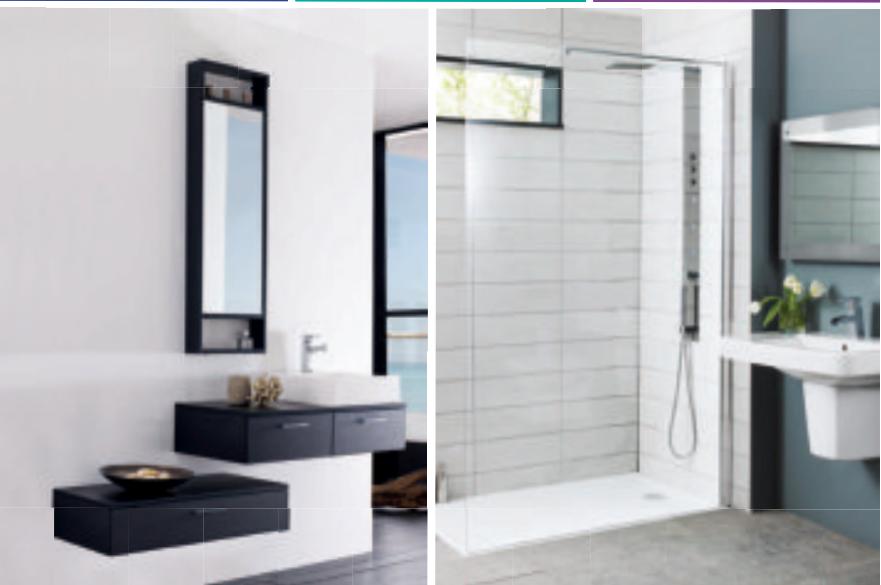
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ON hearing about the benefits of anti-ageing treatments available at the Axminster clinic, one of the *Pulman's* sales executives decided to put it to the test and be a model for the treatments. She has been delighted with the results after receiving Pellevé and Botox injections.

The Axminster clinic was established in 1998 with Dr Rita Rakus – dubbed the Lip Queen of London by the media for her excellent lip treatments – visiting from her established Knightsbridge clinic every four to six weeks. It has since developed into a very popular service, with highly trained doctors from the London clinic regularly bringing their skills and expertise to the East Devon area.

Women who feel nervous about receiving such treatments need not worry, as our model was completely put at ease when arriving at the Axminster clinic, receiving a friendly welcome from Janis Meeks and the team.

An informal chat followed to discuss her personal problem areas before being given a full briefing by a doctor from the Knightsbridge clinic on the suitable treatments available and what to expect – she was talked through the entire process.

The treatments started with Pellevé which introduces heat to the skin, therefore, shrinking collagen and stimulating cells at the bottom of the skin for a tighter, younger and fresh appearance. The treatment has been described as a "less intensive and more comfortable version of Thermage", with our model saying it felt like a spa treatment.

"It felt lovely. It was a nice, warm feeling and felt like my skin was tightening straight away," she added.

The results of the Pellevé could be seen instantly and were then further enhanced with Botox injections around the forehead and eyes.

The doctor explained that having Pellevé and Botox at the same time gave the best results, as the Botox stops the muscles moving and allows the heat treatment to stimulate skin cells as needed. However, she put her patient's mind at rest by assuring that the amount of Botox used is dependent on the individual's needs and it no longer freezes the face as seen in previous years.

The Botox injections were completed quickly using tiny needles and our model said it was much less painful than expected and "just felt like a small scratch".

#### 'Positive and enjoyable'

After seeing the full effects a few weeks after her treatments, she added: "I'm both surprised and delighted at how well the treatments have worked, my laughter lines have reduced dramatically and the skin is much tighter and smoother around my eyes.

"The Pellevé felt like a luxury pampering treatment you would receive at a spa day rather than a procedure. I must admit, I was a little worried about having Botox injections, as I'm not brave when it comes to needles, but after the application of some numbing cream around the area to be injected, I can honestly say the experience was pain free.

"My experience as a whole was very positive and enjoyable. Everyone was very friendly and explained my procedures and after-care both professionally and comprehensively. Thank you very much to you all and I look forward to seeing you soon!"



BEFORE



AFTER



## Shetland rescue centre receives charity status

**EQUINE CARE:** Munchkins founder Tammy Marx and volunteers with one of their ponies

MUNCHKINS Miniature Shetland Rescue, based in Southleigh, near Colyton, has recently been awarded charity status.

Founder Tammy Marx and her volunteers have said they are delighted to have received official charity status, which will assist them in raising funds to look after the ponies.

Munchkins was set up in June last year with just four ponies but has quickly expanded and now has 19, including two pregnant mares. They all have varied backgrounds and have either been abandoned, abused, neglected or are in need of a new home, with some arriving at the rescue centre in a very poor condition.

The ponies get checked over by the vet, giving them vaccinations, checking their teeth and treating them for worms, which can result in expensive bills so they are keen to boost their fundraising efforts.

Collection boxes have been placed in shops around Colyton and at Mole

Avon in Axminster, and the staff will be holding a collection and raffle at Tesco in Seaton on Good Friday.

They are also keen to get local pre-schools, schools and organisations involved, having recently been visited by Colyton Caterpillars and with a visit from Colyton Brownies planned for after Easter. The ponies can also visit pre-schools, nurseries or local fetes for a donation.

Munchkins is now offering the chance to sponsor a pony, which could make a great gift for Mother's Day or Easter. The rescue centre is also looking for more volunteers to give general pony care, not just beneficial for the ponies but has also proved to be a calming experience for those suffering from depression and mental illnesses.

For more information about Munchkins Miniature Shetland Rescue, visit the website [www.mini-munchkins.org](http://www.mini-munchkins.org) or to get in touch phone 01297 553829 or email [munchkinshetlandrescue@hotmail.com](mailto:munchkinshetlandrescue@hotmail.com)

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▲ Julian Hussey (left) Area President of the Western Counties National Association of Funeral Directors pictured with National President, Paul Cuthell.



▲ Pictured are Funeral Directors Julian Hussey, Karen Hussey, Jerry Parkhouse, Phil Horne.

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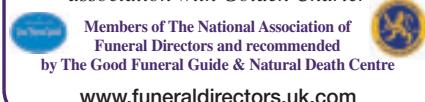
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## Coping with Bereavement

The death of a loved one can be devastating. Bereavement counsellor Sarah Smith describes some of the feelings that can arise from losing someone, and where you can go for help and support.

Bereavement affects people in different ways. There's no right or wrong way to feel. "You might feel a lot of emotions at once, or feel you're having a good day, then you wake up and feel worse again," says Sarah, who works at Trinity Hospice in London. She says powerful feelings can come unexpectedly. "It's like waves on a beach. You can be standing in water up to your knees and feel you can cope, then suddenly a big wave comes and knocks you off your feet."

Experts generally accept that there are four stages of bereavement:

- accepting that your loss is real
- experiencing the pain of grief
- adjusting to life without the person who has died
- putting less emotional energy into grieving and putting it into something new (in other words, moving on)

You'll probably go through all these stages, but you won't necessarily move smoothly from one to the next. Your grief might feel chaotic and out of control, but these feelings will eventually become less intense. Give yourself time, as they will pass. You might feel:

- shock and numbness (this is usually the first reaction to the death, and people often speak of being in a daze)
- overwhelming sadness, with lots of crying
- tiredness or exhaustion
- anger, for example towards the person who died, their illness or God
- guilt, for example guilt about feeling angry, about something you said or didn't say, or about not being able to stop your loved one dying

"These feelings are all perfectly normal," says Sarah. "The negative feelings don't make you a bad person. Lots of people feel guilty about their anger, but it's OK to be angry and to question why."

She adds that some people become forgetful and less able to concentrate. You might lose things, such as your keys. This is because your mind is distracted by bereavement and grief, says Sarah. You're not losing your sanity.

The GOV.UK website has information on what to do after someone dies, such as registering the death and planning a funeral.



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How does grief make you feel?

The way grief affects you will be unique to you and depends on many things, such as the nature of the loss, your age, your relationships, and your health.

You can react in many ways to a loss. For many people grief consists of several combined emotions, anxiety and helplessness often come first. Anger is common, and is seen as a natural part of the grieving process, and you shouldn't feel guilty about it then sadness, which for many comes much later.

Being aware that these emotions are common can help you to accept them. It is very important to know that they will pass. Everyone is unique some people take a lot longer than others to adjust and it is important to recognize that while many may understand they do not know what you are feeling or going through, only you do.

Dealing with the emotions

Grief requires a period of adjustment, there is no right or wrong time to adjust, try to be patient.

If you find that after time you are not moving on, eighteen months or longer after a major loss, there are some practical things you can do to help get through the loss:

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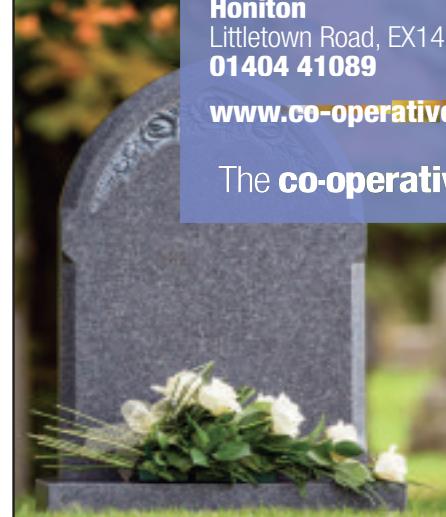
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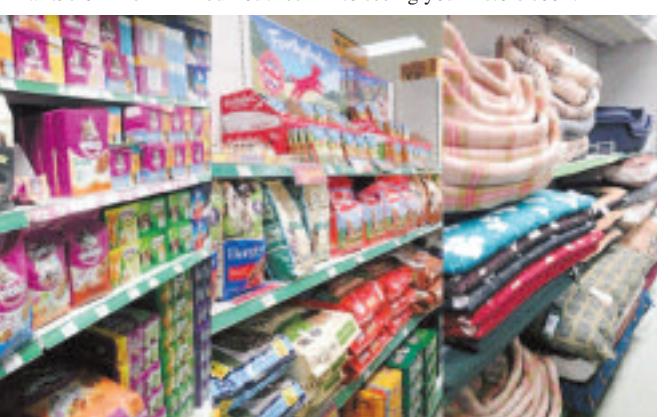
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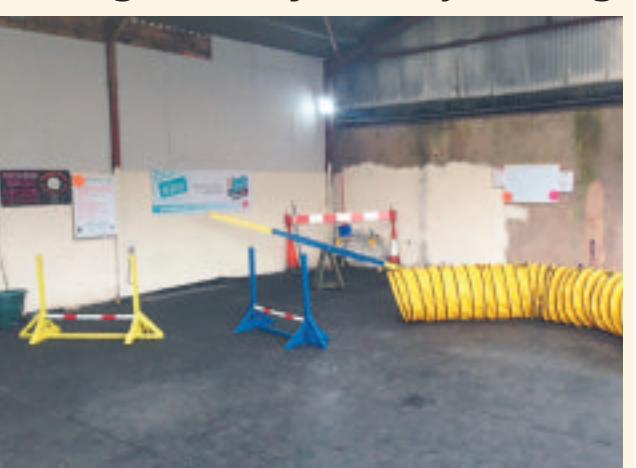
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If that cat had not been chipped we would have been very lucky to find his owners, however with the chip they were just a phone call away.

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If you have lost or found a cat please call 01297 21610



## Honiton Cats Protection

PETS can't manage without vets and Honiton Cats Protection can't manage without the fantastic support from Honiton vets, who micro-chip the cats and kittens rehomed by the charity. This is important to reunite cats and owners.



'Tigger' arrived as a stray at Otter Brewery in Luppit – a good place to stray to! He is very friendly, so someone has loved him but, without a micro-chip all we can do is hope someone sees him advertised. If he is unclaimed after two weeks then he will be looking for a new home.

The importance of micro-chips is also shown by Shadow. This lovely young man was not handed in as a stray but following bereavement, however, three separate families telephoned believing him to be their missing black cat – none of these cats were micro-chipped. Sadly no-one has yet offered Shadow a new home but, fingers crossed!

It is lovely to match a cat back to their home and a micro-chip – with details kept up to date – makes this easy. If you love your cat speak to your vet about a micro-chip and let him find a way to come home.

To offer a new home to a cat – who will already be micro-chipped – call Honiton Cats Protection on 01404 45241, visit the shop in the High Street or go on-line [www.honiton.cats.org.uk](http://www.honiton.cats.org.uk)

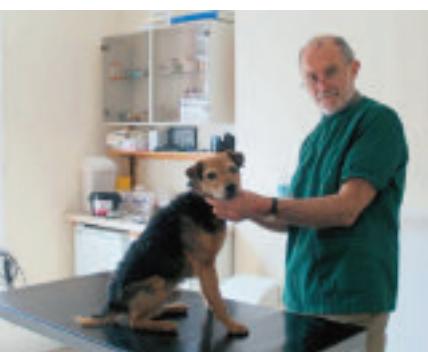


# Pets & Vets

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For many years the Practice only provided a part time service in Ottery St Mary;

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As news of our unique service is spreading, we



acquire more and more clients, but a good number of our bookings are made up of repeat business. The thank-you notes we receive from our clients are always very gratifying. They have told us that we "provide a brilliant service which is second to none", are "truly heaven-sent" and that "they would be totally lost without Homes4Hounds".

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## Three Corners Cattery



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Dr. Curry is a chartered psychologist with many years experience dealing with the rehabilitation of brain-injured individuals, whilst Mrs. Curry is an RGN with many years of specialist practice. Her experiences as ward Sister have been invaluable training in the management of staff and resources.

The Manor Houses latest Care Quality Commission inspection report was rated as a 3 Star or Excellent Care Service. The Manor House is a private residential care home which strives to provide the highest standard of care and permanent accommodation for 15 elderly individuals.

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Please visit our website, where you will find all the information you need to determine if our home would be suitable for you or your relative. However; if you feel you need any additional information about any aspect of life in our home, please feel free to contact us at any time.

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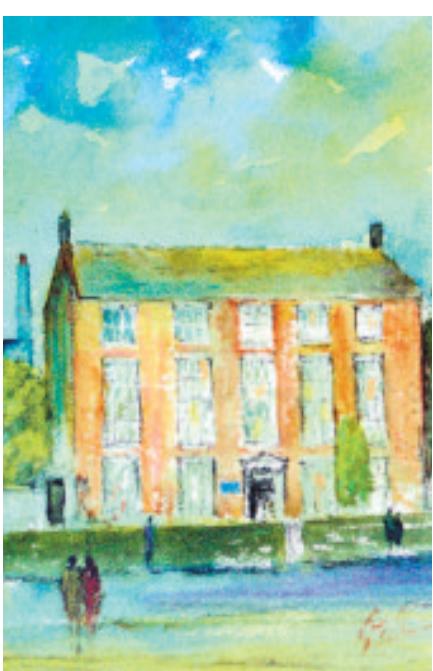
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# Moratorium should be imposed on further development of Axminster

■ THERE has been comment recently about the lack of a Local Area Plan being produced by East Devon District Council.

This important plan, which has been under consideration for some time, has now been further delayed until after the local elections in May. One can only surmise why this further delay has been imposed, but it is something that voters may wish to ponder upon before they cast their votes for Councillors in May.

Until this important document is published no cohesive plan exists for most areas of East Devon – therefore any number of planning applications for housing can be made and will be considered individually by the council's Development Management Committee.

A number of "small" planning applications can soon have a marked effect on a small town such as Axminster.

At the moment the local authority appears to give planning permission willy-nilly to each developer that comes along with little thought to increasing the facilities within the town to support the increased population, although the income from council tax on these properties is without doubt a great attraction to EDDC.

I have noticed in last week's local press that three planning applications have been submitted to EDDC by Persimmon Homes Ltd. for large developments on the edge of Axminster, one on Lyme Road (75 houses EDDC ref 15/0442/MOUT), and two on the eastern side of town near Millwey Rise. In fact, these two applications for 200 dwellings at Beulah Farm (ref 15/0436/MOUT) and 155 dwellings at Wycroft Manor Farm (ref 15/0435/MOUT) actually join onto each-other and would presumably make one 355 home estate.

So, a further 430 homes are likely to be added to

the recent developments at Sector Lane, Streamside, Cloakham Lawn and Millbrook Meadows with an additional 1,000 residents coming into the town. If anyone would like to make a comment to EDDC on these additional developments please quote the individual reference number, but be quick, the two-week public consultation process closes on 13 March!

Are we going to see an increase in the provision of basic service infrastructure in the town to cope with the growing population? Who knows – but if the Local Plan was in place this would show the requirement to expand GP and dentist services, hospital and school places, etc. to cope with a set number of new homes in the town.

As we all know our hospital, with its limited facilities, is still threatened with closure – but there is a good case with the growing population not only to keep this open but to also increase the facilities that can be provided there.

There is the possibility of the council agreeing to any number of "small" developments through the planning process before the area plan is published after May which will have a marked effect on our town.

I would suggest to Councillor Paul Diviani and the councillors of EDDC that a moratorium should be imposed on the consideration of any further planning applications from developers until the Local Plan has been agreed. If equitable treatment is not provided across the board in planning matters by the council then I trust that voters in May will vote to elect councillors who are prepared to run the council in a more open and democratic manner.

**MICHAEL BLAGROVE,**  
Axminster

# Thank you for supporting Grizzly

■ A BIG thank you to the people of Seaton, particularly our town centre shops and businesses and sponsors - Beviss and Beckingsale, Amore and Frydays, Seaton Town Council, GW Electrics and Tandoori Tonight - who all got behind our fifth GrizFest, what a fantastic community weekend!

We have had lots of positive feedback from our Grizzly visitors who really loved the welcome, the activities in the library, Go Create, the Artisan Market and The Gateway hosted by Seaton's Voice. They loved the fact that we painted the town lilac. Congratulations to the winners of the best decorated Grizzly shop window - 1st Just Flowers, 2nd Animal Botanical and 3rd Steve's Print - and a big thank you to all

## Youth club still active and progressing

£5000. This will be invaluable towards the financing of our project in its early stages.

The Honiton Youth Club committee is still in need of more support in any capacity and if you are looking for more information on how to get involved then please visit our Facebook page: "Honiton Youth Centre". You can also contact chairman Henry Brown on 07958 398 384.

**THE GRIZFEST TEAM - PAUL JOHNS,  
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**COUNCILLOR HENRY BROWN,  
Honiton**

## Thanks from bus driver

■ AFTER five years of driving the local 885/899 bus services between Axminster and Sidmouth, on my last day many of my regular passengers turned out, first from Branscombe then from Beer, to say goodbye and present me with many lovely cards and gifts, as did other passengers and school children from the rest of the route.

I would just like to say a big thank you to you all, not forgetting everyone at the depot for their presents as well.

**GORDON WILKES,  
Seaton**

The views expressed in letters are those of the author and not necessarily of this newspaper

## Panto full of energy and colour

■ WHAT a tremendous performance by Honiton Pantomime Society in their production of "Sleeping Beauty" at The Beehive last week.

It was a fast-moving show full of energy, colour and music, playing to sell out audiences. Thank you to the director, cast, musicians, stage crew, front of house team and the many others who worked tirelessly to make it such a success.

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## THE HUT PEOPLE

Duo come to The Beehive

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# Diary Dates

**TUESDAY MARCH 10TH**

**HONITON:** 'Cobwebs of Fashion – Honiton Lace, a History'. Kate Strasdin, Associate Curator at the Fashion and Textile Museum at Totnes, will talk about Honiton lace and demonstrate how it is made. A National Decorative and Fine Arts Society lecture, at the Beehive, Dowell St. EX14 1LZ, at 2pm. Non-members welcome – £5 donation suggested. No booking required. For more details see [www.honiton-dfas.org.uk](http://www.honiton-dfas.org.uk) or call 01404 45360

**WEDNESDAY MARCH 11TH**

**SIDMOUTH:** Piano, Poetry & Prose' – with gardens in mind Solos, duets and readings, with Joyce & Brian Hall, John McGregor & Christine Hemmingway In aid of Sidmouth in Bloom and organ fund. At Sidhume Music Room, Elyns Fields, 3pm.

**COLYFORD:** National Trust, Axe Valley Centre. Mr Robert Rhodes, Countryside Manager for the National Trust will be giving an amusing presentation on the Cerne Giant at 2.30pm at The Memorial Hall, Colyford admission £2.00 for nonmembers (including tea and biscuit).

**OFFWELL:** Whist Drive at the village hall, starts 7.30pm. Everyone welcome. Run by Offwell Whist Club, proceeds to ORG&VHC.

**THURSDAY MARCH 12TH**

**SEATON:** Seaton Garden Club monthly meeting now at new venue: Masonic Hall, Queen Street, adjacent to John Woods Estate Agents at 2.30pm until 4pm. Illustrated talk by Jenny Short, "Perfect Partners" (Planting Combinations) and there will be plants for sale. Visitors welcome Charge £2 to include refreshments. Call 01297 24049 for more details.

**BRANSCOMBE:** Macmillan Charity Event at the village hall, 7pm.

**FRIDAY MARCH 13TH**

**AXMINSTER:** Cooking Demo For Parents/Carers with children by HALFF (Health and Local Food for Families) 10.30-12.00noon. Need new ideas to keep meal times interesting, healthy and on a budget? Come to our FREE healthy cooking demonstrations covering nutritional advice and cooking hints and tips for parents and carers with children. At the HALFF Food Hub, South Street, Axminster. No need to book, just turn up, it's free. Call Ros on 01297 631782 for more information or email [admin@halff.org.uk](mailto:admin@halff.org.uk).

**HONITON:** Parkinson's Support Group at the Heathfield Inn, 11am. With speaker. Carers also welcome.

**SATURDAY MARCH 14TH**

**BEER:** Wurlitzer Theatre Organ Show – Byron Jones, the Welsh Wizard, returns for a great musical afternoon. Everyone is welcome at the Congregational Church, Fore Street, Beer at 2.00pm. Admission is £7.00 at the door to include interval refreshments. Further info phone 01297 24892 or visit [www.beerwurlitzer.org.uk](http://www.beerwurlitzer.org.uk).

**COLYTON:** Colyton Town Hall open 10am. Coffee Morning and Table Tops at £5 for Colyton Thursday Club. Books Cakes, Gifts, Good clothes rail. Produce. For more info please ring Jenny 01297 553001

**HONITON:** Mackarness Hall Table Top Sale, 8.30am-12.30pm. Variety of interesting stalls, including books, bric-a-brac, knitted goods, jewellery and lots more. Refreshments, tea/coffee, food available. Come along a take a look. Other dates for your diary: May 2nd, May 23rd.

**SUNDAY MARCH 15TH**

**COLYFORD:** Indoor Boot Sale at Colyford Memorial Hall, 9am-2pm. For more details or to book a table (£5) call 01297 23591.

**TUESDAY MARCH 17TH**

**SEATON:** Macmillan Charity Event, Flat 2, 10 Marine Place, EX12 2QL, 7pm.

**WEDNESDAY MARCH 18TH**

**BEER:** Jurassic Folk in the Function Room at the Dolphin Hotel, Beer, EX12 3EQ. Starts 8pm through to 10.30pm. For more details contact, Andrew 01404 46451 or Adrian 01404 42288.

**AXMINSTER:** Carers Cooking Demo with HALFF (Health and Local Food for Families) 2.30-4pm. Free healthy cooking demonstrations covering nutritional advice and cooking hints and tips to help make your life easier as a carer. At the HALFF Food Hub, South Street, Axminster. No need to book, just turn up, it's free. Call Ros on 01297 631782 for more information or email [admin@halff.org.uk](mailto:admin@halff.org.uk).

**SEATON:** Seaton and District Men's Probus Club meeting at St. Gregory's Church Centre, Colyford Road, Seaton at 10.00am when the speaker will be Kay Townsend on 'History of the Bumper Car'. New members welcome (Keith West on 01297 624374).

**HONITON:** Honiton University of the Third Age will be holding their Annual General Meeting (Members only) at The Beehive, Dowell Street. Doors Open 1.30pm. Meeting: 1.45pm – 2.15pm

**HONITON:** Honiton University of the Third Age are holding an Open Showcase at The Beehive, Dowell Street, 2.15pm – 3.30pm. Free entry – open to all. There will be presentations and exhibitions of the

# Calling all Mums and Grans – we are Hoola Hooping!

YES that's right - Hoola Hooping! World of Country Life, Exmouth are offering something a little different this Mothering Sunday. Always looking for ways to make happy memories for their visitors, they are holding a Hoola Hoop Competition for Mums and Grans this coming Sunday, March 15th March. Could your loved one be crowned 2015 champion!? The winner will get a Mercedes-Benz car to drive for a weekend courtesy of Mercedes-Benz of Exeter - what wonderful memories that will make! Mums and Grans get free entry to the park on Mothering Sunday too!

Adding to the fun will be the return of the hilar-



ious lamb racing event\* the 'Lamb National' - will Frankie Lambaard, the 2014 champion, be beaten this season?

For the children there will be the opportunity to make their mum a gift at the free Mothering Sunday craft event, with the choice of either crafting an individual daffodil or a unique 'promise pledge'. Plus, the ever popular free face painting!

Farmer Lee's Food Barn will have some sumptuous foods as usual along with the chance to buy your mum a hot drink and get a free cake to go with it!

On top of all the fun, there are all the new additions to the World of Country Life family to meet - lots of new baby lambs, goats and the stars of the show – Wendy the Wallaby with her joey and Jill the donkey with her foal Eeyore!

The fun starts at 10 am on Sunday, March 15th. Find more information at [www.worldofcountrylife.co.uk](http://www.worldofcountrylife.co.uk)

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# Diary Dates

activities of all our groups. A great opportunity to come and see what the U3A has to offer.

**SIDMOUTH:** Little Ones' Wild Walk – discovery walk around the nature reserve with the education ranger – games and activities – suitable for under 7s. Knapp Community Nature Reserve, Sidmouth. Donations welcome. Booking essential – call 01395 517557 or email [Countryside@eastdevon.gov.uk](mailto:Countryside@eastdevon.gov.uk)

**THURSDAY MARCH 19TH**

**SEATON:** Meet the Birds 10am-12noon – improve your birdwatching skills with an experienced volunteer guide in the hide. Tower hide, Seaton Wetlands (formerly known as Axe Estuary Wetlands) – parking through Seaton cemetery (SY 249 915). Free – no need to book.

**SEATON:** Little Ones' Wild Walk 10am – discovery walk around the nature reserve with the education ranger – games and activities – suitable for under 7s. Seaton Marshes Local Nature Reserve. Donations welcome. Booking essential – call 01395 517557 or email [Countryside@eastdevon.gov.uk](mailto:Countryside@eastdevon.gov.uk)

**FRIDAY MARCH 20TH**

**SEATON:** Christian Aid Coffee and Lunches for Lent in Seaton United Reform Church Hall, Cross Street, 11am-2pm. Coffee and tea £1, lunch of soup, roll, cake, tea/coffee £3.50. Everyone welcome.

**AXMINSTER:** Whist Drive at Woodbury Village Hall, near Axminster, starts 7.30pm. In aid of Strokes and Children's Corner.

**SEATON:** Macmillan Charity Event, Flat 2, 10 Marine Place, EX12 2QL, 7pm.

**CHARDSTOCK:** Quiz Night at St Andrew's School, 7pm. Team of up to 6, £4 per person. Price includes Ploughmans and please bring your own drinks. All welcome, please book by calling 01460 220534.

**COLYFORD:** Night walk 6-8pm – explore the sights and sounds of the woodland after dark. Holyford woods near Colyford – meet at parking area opposite Seaton Tower Services (grid ref: SY 235 914). Suggested donation £3. Booking essential – call 01395 517557 or email [Countryside@eastdevon.gov.uk](mailto:Countryside@eastdevon.gov.uk)

**SATURDAY MARCH 21ST**

**SIDMOUTH:** Spring Fayre Coffee Morning in aid of Samaritans, Methodist Hall, High St, 10am-12noon Various stalls including Bric-a-brac, Books, Cakes, Toys, Jigsaws & Household Goods. Raffle, Admission £1 to include coffee or tea and biscuits

**SIDMOUTH:** Isca Ensemble Concert entitled Northern Lights at the Sidmouth Parish Church, 7.30pm. Featuring special works by Sibelius and Sir Malcolm Arnold. Tickets from Paragon Books (Sidmouth) 01395 514516 or [www.iscaensemble.org.uk](http://www.iscaensemble.org.uk)

**UPLYME:** Ballroom, Latin and some Sequence dancing at Uplyme Village Hall, 8pm-10.30pm. Entry £4.50 per person, in aid of hall funds. For more details call 01297 442439.

**DALWOOD:** Tuckers Jazz Club presents Charlie Hearnshaw Munjinta Latin Café Jazz Quintet, 8pm at The Tuckers Arms. Tickets £8 at the door or in advance. 01404 831280 (Dalwood is just off the A35 between Honiton & Axminster) [www.dalwoodvillage.co.uk](http://www.dalwoodvillage.co.uk)

**SATURDAY MARCH 21ST – FRIDAY MARCH 27TH**

**BEER:** Marine House Gallery EX12 3E. An Exhibition of earlier works by the late artist Michael Morgan RI available for purchase. For more details call 01297 625257

**SUNDAY MARCH 22ND**

**COLYFORD:** Indoor Boot Sale at Colyford Memorial Hall, 9am-2pm. For more details or to book a table (£5) call 01297 23591.

**MONDAY MARCH 23RD**

**AXMINSTER:** Axminster Carnival Bingo at the Guildhall, doors 7pm, eyes down 8pm.

**AXMINSTER:** Free Carers Cooking Course with HALFF (Health and Local Food for Families) 2.30-4pm. Learn to cook healthily at a hands-on course of six sessions, plus meal planning, understanding food labelling, cooking hints and tips to help make your life easier as a carer. At the Masonic Hall, South Street, Axminster. To book a place call Ros on 01297 631782 for more information or email [admin@halff.org.uk](mailto:admin@halff.org.uk)

**TUESDAY MARCH 24TH**

**HONITON:** Little Ones' Wild Walk 10am – discovery walk around the nature reserve with the education ranger – games and activities – suitable for under 7s. Honiton Bottom Community Nature Reserve. Donations welcome. Booking essential – call 01395 517557 or email [Countryside@eastdevon.gov.uk](mailto:Countryside@eastdevon.gov.uk)

**WEDNESDAY MARCH 25TH**

**SEATON:** Manor Close Tenants Association holding a trip to Dorchester Market. Leave Seaton Underfleet coach park at 9.15am arrive back around 2.45pm. Cost £8 contact 01297 598094.

**DALWOOD:** Coffee Concert in St Peter's Church (EX13 7EG). 10.30am. For more details call 01404 831280 or 01404 831365.

# The Ingenious Gentleman Don Quixote of La Mancha

Winner of the Stage Award and labelled as 'Edinburgh Festival 2014: The shows you can't live without' in The Guardian, Little Soldier presents their hilarious, witty and wonderfully wicked adaptation of Spanish novel The Ingenious Gentleman Don Quixote of La Mancha at the Marine Theatre on Thursday, March 12th.

Inspired by Don Quixote's wanderings, two feisty señoritas and a downtrodden Englishman embark on a journey through Spain taking on one of the most accomplished works of fiction ever written. Accompanied only by an otherworldly virtuoso guitarist whose presence there makes no sense whatsoever, they

will lead you to joy, pain and ultimate wisdom. A madcap rendition concluding with a common sentiment: "These guys did not read the book".

Internationally acclaimed theatre company Little Soldier are fast becoming recognised in the UK and Europe for their highly skilled combination of physical comedy, devising techniques and live music to produce funny yet touching shows. Expect a hilariously inventive adventure of immense proportions, to be taken with a pinch of salt and a handlebar moustache.

The performance starts at 8pm. Tickets £12 or £10. To book call 01297 442138 or visit [www.marinetheatre.com](http://www.marinetheatre.com)



# Axminster Drama Club celebrates its 70th birthday

AXMINSTER Drama Club was formed on March 19th 1945 so is this year celebrating its 70th birthday. The club's first production was Hayfever in 1945 and 1968 saw the club's first pantomime Aladdin. Since then the club has produced a pantomime as well as a play or musical show pretty much every year.

In July 1992 the club purchased the Plaza (formerly the old Shand Factory Social Club) behind The Guildhall, which was formerly regarded as one of the best dance halls in East Devon and was well used during the war by visiting service personnel and locals. As well as housing a clubroom, which doubles up as a rehearsal space, The Plaza is now home to literally thousands of costumes made, altered and reused and hundreds of pieces of scenery and props, which have a habit of being recycled and reappearing as something completely different.

Over the years a great many Axminster residents both young and old have had their first experience of appearing on stage as well as being well entertained thanks to the club. To celebrate their birthday Axminster Drama Club would like to thank all its loyal supporters by offering a unique evening of entertainment, free of charge, as well as inviting back its past members and giving them an opportunity to reminisce via the clubs old scrap books and display of past shows.

The ADC Birthday Bash will take place on Saturday 21st March at 7:30pm in the Guildhall when current members of the club will be performing a variety of singing, dancing and acting as well as the cutting of an enormous cake! Free tickets for the night can be reserved by phoning current Chairman Sara Leat on 01297 35187 or emailing Norrlet@aol.com.

# Workshop with Caroline Parrott

THERE is an exciting opportunity to join contemporary artist Caroline Parrott this Saturday, March 14th, for a workshop learning how to hand print and dye anodised aluminium to create unique and beautiful jewellery or small hang-

ing decorations. Why not treat a loved one for Mother's Day?

The workshop, at Stockland Village Hall, from 10am-4pm, includes all materials and your creation can be included in the South West Path 2 exhibition to be

held in Stockland Village Hall on May 2&3rd with Villages In Action and The Devon Guild of Craftsmen. Please book asap with Wendy on 01404 881207. Places are limited and cost £40 for the full day.

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# The Hut People

TAKING the audience on a musical journey around the World, English instrumental duo The Hut People have over the last 3 years proved to be one of THE most unique, entertaining and best-loved acts on the UK folk scene today.

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This is a show like nothing you've ever seen before – expect feel-good dancing tunes, audience participation, step dancing, Quebecois foot-percussion (whilst playing the accordion!) and humour aplenty.

Accordionist Sam Pirt & Percussionist Gary Hammond both have extensive backgrounds in music - having been part of and performed alongside legendary acts such as The Beautiful South, Nina Simone, The Dubliners & Sharon

Shannon, their playing is still very much in high demand.

The Hut People perform at The Beehive, Honiton on Saturday,

March 14th. See the advert below for more details.

**Dowell St Honiton**  
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## Willow Workshop - Garden Plant Supports

**Thursday 12th Mar 10am-4pm £40**

Relax and enjoy working with natural willow. You will be making plant supports for annual climbers and herbaceous plants. Jenny Knight is a delightful tutor with lots of enthusiasm and willow weaving knowledge. Tools and materials will be provided. Please bring a packed lunch.



## The Hut People

**Saturday 14th Mar 8pm**

**Tickets £8 in adv. or £10 on the door**

This is high-octane feel-good music from a very likeable duo who have the ability to get the whole audience involved and loving it - before the end of the first tune! See them!

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### Elvis at The O2 - The Exhibition of His Life

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**SEATON £445,000**

This substantial detached house is situated in a sought after location a short distance from the seafront and the facilities on offer in the coastal town of Seaton. Refurbished by the owner to exacting standards, this exquisite property would make an ideal family home. Tenure: Freehold, EPC rating: D



**RAYMOND'S HILL £410,000**

Coming to the market for the first time since the property was built in 1956, a three bedroom detached bungalow with fantastic views across the Axe Valley. This well loved home sits centrally in its plot which has ample parking and a single garage. Tenure: Freehold, EPC rating: E



**MEMBURY £250,000**

A detached 3 bedroom bungalow presented in superb condition in a village location. Complete with garage and gardens, this property has the added benefit of no onward chain. Tenure: Freehold, EPC rating: E



**AXMINSTER £242,500**

A two bedroom detached bungalow situated within a convenient location. Only a short walk from all the amenities of the market town of Axminster, this well-rounded property is complete with garage and off street parking, an enclosed rear garden and a workshop to the side. Tenure: Freehold, EPC rating: D



**AXMINSTER £199,950**

A three bedroom house in a popular town location, with well presented accommodation including a lounge, kitchen/breakfast room, bathroom as well as a shower room and en-suite facilities. An ideal family home or investment, this modern property is complete with a garage and an enclosed rear garden. Tenure: Freehold, EPC rating: C



**AXMINSTER £220,000**

A semi-detached house dating from the 1930s, situated towards the outer edge of the market town of Axminster, but offering easy access to the facilities available in the town. Tenure: Freehold, EPC rating: D



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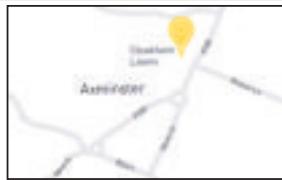
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A two bedroom luxury McCarthy & Stone retirement apartment located in the market town of Axminster. Situated on the first floor, with careline facilities if required, lift and communal residents lounge. An ideal purchase for independent living with peace of mind, care, and security. Tenure: Leasehold, EPC rating: C



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**AXMINSTER £174,950**

A semi-detached two bedroom bungalow in a convenient location only a short walk from all the amenities of the market town of Axminster. The property has been redecorated and benefits from double glazing, gas central heating, garage and parking as well as an enclosed garden to the rear. Tenure: Freehold, EPC rating: D



**AXMINSTER £139,950**

A recently built coach house in a popular town location, with accommodation comprising of two bedrooms, open plan/kitchen/lounge, bathroom as well as garage and parking. The property also benefits from the remainder of an NHBC warranty. Tenure: Freehold, EPC rating: C



**SMALLRIDGE £295,000**

A charming 19th century detached cottage tucked away in the pretty village of Smallridge. Of worthy note is the ample headroom, untypical of a property of this era and also the large garage and workshop. The walled garden to the front is a paradise for flora & fauna! Tenure: Freehold, EPC rating: E



**SEATON £295,000**

A well presented detached bungalow in a tucked away location within the coastal town of Seaton. With three bedrooms (en-suite to the master), lounge / dining room, kitchen and bathroom, this wonderful home is complete with garage, driveway and level gardens. Tenure: Freehold, EPC rating: D



**DALWOOD £325,000 OIEO**

A well presented two double bedroom bungalow offering light and bright accommodation in the sought after village of Dalwood, which offers an abundance of public footpaths and peace and quiet. Amenities in the village include a church, public house and general store..Tenure: Freehold, EPC rating: D



**AXMINSTER £95,000**

A one bedroom first floor apartment located conveniently close to the to the town centre. Converted approximately 5 years ago, the property is completely self-contained with its own water, gas and electricity supplies.. Tenure: Leasehold, EPC rating: C



**AXMINSTER £115,000**

A two bedroom mid terraced home situated in a favoured area of Axminster comprising a lounge, kitchen/breakfast room, one double and one single bedroom, and a family bathroom. There is a garden to the rear of the property as well as an allocated parking space. Tenure: Freehold, EPC rating: D



**WAMBROOK, NR CHARD £125,000**

An opportunity to purchase a very well presented ground floor apartment in a rural village location. Accommodation comprises of two bedrooms, lounge/dining room, a stylish kitchen and shower room, with benefits including use of a car park and gardens to the front and rear. Tenure: Leasehold, EPC rating: D



**AXMINSTER £345,000**

A well presented four bedroom bungalow situated within a cul-de-sac on the southern edge of Axminster. Having undergone improvements by the current owners, this wonderful home enjoys fine country views internally and externally from its well-tended gardens. Tenure: Freehold, EPC rating: D



**RAYMOND'S HILL £300,000**

**MODERNISATION OPPORTUNITY:** A detached three bedroom bungalow in an elevated position offering well-proportioned rooms and a good size garden to the rear. Tenure: Freehold, EPC rating: E



**TYTHERLEIGH £840,000**

An outstanding 8 bedroom farmhouse set just outside the small market town of Axminster. This family home has been used as a fantastic income generator for the last 24 years and includes nearly 11 acres, a 2 bedroom bungalow and a 1 bedroom self contained annexe. Tenure: Freehold, EPC rating: Exempt



**AXMINSTER £99,950**

A two bedroom coach house in a popular residential area. Offered for sale at a reduced price of 20% less than the market value, this well presented home would make an ideal first time buy, with benefits including off street parking and an enclosed rear garden. Tenure: Leasehold, EPC rating: C



**AXMINSTER £125,000**

A well presented two double bedroom home in a tucked away town location. Benefiting from allocated parking, an enclosed rear garden, and having been redecorated by the current owners, this super property is move-in ready and would make an ideal first time buy. Tenure: Leasehold, EPC rating: C



**AXMINSTER £138,000**

A newly refurbished maisonette located in the heart of the market town of Axminster, with easy access to the shops and local amenities. Benefiting from three bedrooms with accommodation spread over three floors, viewing is highly recommended to fully appreciate what is on offer. Tenure: Leasehold, EPC rating: Exempt



**AXMINSTER £325,000**

A detached three bedroom house in an elevated position with an abundance of period features. Set in a generous plot amounting to circa 3/4 an acre with extensively stocked gardens, complete with outbuildings, the property has been a much loved home for 25 years and is truly unique in its appeal. Tenure: Freehold, EPC: G



**AXMINSTER £155,000**

A well presented mid terraced house in a convenient location. The property offers well presented accommodation and comprises briefly of a lounge/dining room, kitchen, laundry room, three bedrooms and a bathroom, complete with gardens to the front and rear. EDDC restriction applies. Tenure: Freehold, EPC rating: D



**AXMINSTER £179,950**

Three bedroom semi-detached house in a popular town location, with accommodation comprising of kitchen/breakfast room, lounge, bathroom as well as garage and parking. This well-presented property would be ideal as a first-time buy, family home or investment. Tenure: Freehold, EPC rating: B



**AXMINSTER £132,500**

A one-bedroom luxury McCarthy & Stone retirement apartment located in the market town of Axminster. Situated on the Second floor, with careline facilities if required, lift and communal residents lounge. An ideal purchase for independent living with peace of mind, care, and security. Tenure: Leasehold, EPC rating: B



**SHUTE £110,000**

A well presented bungalow in a rural village location, with accommodation comprising of a lounge/dining room, kitchen/breakfast room, bedroom, shower room and separate W/C. Benefiting externally from garage and gardens, with views over the surrounding fields and countryside. NO ONWARD CHAIN. Tenure: Leasehold, EPC rating: E

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Accommodation consists of:

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- Lounge
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- Cloakroom
- Garage
- Enclosed Rear Garden



## SEATON, ATTRACTIVE DETACHED BUNGALOW - £279,950



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An ideal family cottage in the town offering gas fired central heating and very long rear garden. The accommodation comprises, entrance hall, lounge, kitchen/diner, cloakroom, 3 bedrooms and bathroom. Must be viewed. EDDC housing restriction applies. EPC B. Offered for sale or rent. £162,500

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A charming stone built terraced cottage situated in a quiet lane within easy walking distance of all the towns amenities. The accommodation comprises living room, kitchen overlooking the garden, spacious main bedroom with built-in wardrobe and original cast iron fireplace, office/childs bedroom, bathroom with electric shower, Upvc replacement tilt and turn double glazed windows, delightful rear garden with brick built store shed. Ideal for investment buyers – no chain. EPC E. £137,500

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### ST GEORGES



This attractive development of apartments is situated around communal courtyards in the town centre. Offered for sale or rental this two bedroom apartment is ideal for the first time or investments buyer. The accommodation comprises communal entrance hall leading to front door ... entrance hall, 2 bedrooms, lounge, kitchen and bathroom. EPC TBC. £109,950

### 1 VALLEY VILLAS



This superbly refurbished town centre, semi detached house offers gas fired central heating and fully fitted integral kitchen. The accommodation comprises entrance hall, spacious kitchen with island unit and fully integral fitted kitchen with dining room, utility room and downstairs cloakroom, large living room with feature fully opening patio doors to the rear garden, 3 bedrooms (master en-suite), family bathroom. Ample parking. Gardens. Viewing highly recommended. EPC D. £279,950

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Seaton



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Seaton



£385,000

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Beer



£365,000

This beautifully presented property is situated in the heart of the picturesque village of Beer and is currently a very successful holiday let. Ideal for a business opportunity or as a second home.

Beer



OIEO £345,000

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Seaton



£330,000

Situated close to Seaton Town Centre this detached property comprises three bedrooms, lounge, dining room, kitchen and needs to be seen to truly appreciate the accommodation on offer.

Beer



£300,000

This detached bungalow offers a fantastic opportunity for anyone looking to be in a quiet cul-de-sac location in Beer. The property offers two double bedrooms as well as two reception rooms.

The Esplanade



£285,000

If you're looking for sea views then look no further! This mid terraced property is situated on Seaton's esplanade and enjoys stunning panoramic views of the sea and Beer Head.

Beer



£275,000

Semi detached house comprising three bedrooms, two reception rooms, off road parking and a short walk to Beer Village Centre.

Seaton



£265,000

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Colyton



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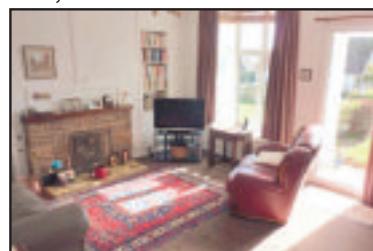
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SEATON £285,000



Detached 3 bedroom 1930's house situated in a quiet elevated location with lovely sea and coastal views. Lovely verandah to front and mature garden. Detached garage. Gas fired central heating. Must be viewed internally. Awaiting EPC.



SEATON £210,000



Detached 2 Bedroom bungalow with conservatory and garage in a popular residential area with good bus links to the Town Centre. The property also offers a living room with separate dining area/study. EPC rating TBC.



SEATON HOLE £195,000



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SEATON £159,950



SEATON £315,000

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A detached three bedroom bungalow situated in an elevated position on the Western side of Seaton with some estuary views. Located in a quiet cul-de-sac, the property comprises a kitchen, lounge, conservatory, 3 bedrooms, garage and parking. EPC rating C.



COLYTON £315,000

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Last year, she decided to set up her own clinic, which she now offers at the Health and Wellbeing Centre in Axminster on Mondays and at the Chiropractic Health Centre in Honiton on Saturdays. Jayne explains: "Herbs can be used to treat the body in many different ways and, combined properly, will work effectively as medication for a large range of diseases. We are all unique and will respond to herbs differently. As a herbalist, I'm trained in the same diagnostic skills as orthodox doctors and choose herbs specifically for each individual. I search for, and treat, the underlying cause of the problem, rather than just the symptom, to restore the body's balance and activate its own healing powers."

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These models line up alongside the all-new Focus RS, which yesterday made its worldwide motor show debut, and the all-new Ford GT supercar, which Ford premiered in Europe. The Focus RS and the Ford GT are developed by the new Ford Performance team, which is committed to delivering 12 new performance vehicles through 2020.

"Ford at Geneva is presenting a mouth-watering line-up of vehicles that underlines our commitment to innovation through performance," said Jim Farley, Ford Motor Company executive vice president and president Europe, Middle East and Africa. "It is through developing our performance cars that technologies become available through the wider range of Ford cars."

"We are also investing heavily in areas that will drive the Ford brand forwards in Europe, including SUVs, and Vignale, as well as sport models," Farley added. "Ford will

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Further vehicles on display in Geneva include the new Focus ST that is available for the first time with a choice of petrol and diesel engines, the acclaimed Fiesta ST, and the new Ford Mustang – now on sale across Europe for the first time in more than 50 years of production.

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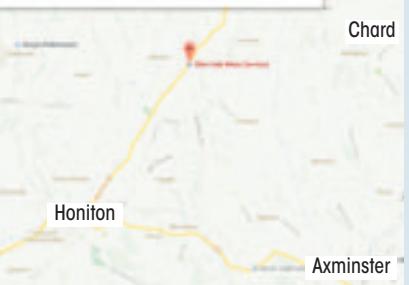


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# Seat Unveils Its Future With The 20v20

SEAT has its eyes firmly set on the year 2020. The Spanish carmaker revealed its strategic vision for the future in Geneva today with the 20V20 showcar (meaning Vision 2020), an SUV that sets the stage for the brand's future and puts forward the new design language. "The 20V20 shows our ambition", said SEAT President Jürgen Stackmann today during the company's presentation at the Geneva Motor Show. "It is our guiding star and the lighthouse for our development for the coming five-year period".

Stackmann emphasised that "SEAT will be applying the winning Leon product formula to the entire range. We've taken all product decisions to consolidate the successful path started with LEON and we have finalised our product plan for the coming years. SEAT will shift focus from the small car to the compact car category. The centre of gravity shifts upwards entering big, fast growing and more profitable segments". In addition, Stackmann reaffirmed the brand's commitment to enhancing connectivity, which is backed by the agreement announced yesterday with SAMSUNG.

The President of SEAT also announced that the brand continues having a positive momentum in the first two months of the year compared to the same period in 2014: "To date, our global sales have grown 7.5%". Stackmann underscored that in 2014 SEAT sales improved by more than 10% for the second consecutive year and placed emphasis on the big EU markets, including Germany, Spain, the United Kingdom and Italy, where the brand displayed double-digit growth.

The success of the Leon family explains the brand's surge in sales. "For the first time in our history we have sold more Leon than Ibiza. The Leon family is now complete", summarised Stackmann, who announced the world premiere of SEAT's first compact SUV at next year's Geneva Motor Show.

## 20V20, SEAT's strategic vision

The SEAT 20V20 combines the dynamic silhouette of a four-door sports coupé with the refinement of an SUV and the versatility and

utility of a mid-size estate car. At a length of 4,659 metres and with its 20-inch wheels and the determined expression conveyed by its adaptive full-LED headlamps, this sports utility has a robust stance that is in no way aggressive, while the interior offers a generous amount of space and premium ambience for five. In addition, a comprehensive package of driver assistance systems raises the levels of comfort and safety even further. The array of drive options is multi-faceted, ranging from the high-performance TSI and TDI motors to plug-in hybrids. The power is delivered to the wheels via the DSG transmission and electronically controlled all-wheel drive.

## New Toledo FR Line, sportier and more versatile

The SEAT Toledo FR Line is another attraction presented by the Spanish brand at the Geneva Motor Show. The Toledo is now even sportier with its exclusive FR Line version, which offers an exclusive combination of sporty design and versatility at an exceptional price. Equipped with TSI and TDI engines with displacements ranging from 1.2 to 1.6 litres and full LED headlights that are unique in this segment, the

new SEAT Toledo FR Line underscores its dynamic character with additional sills and a newly designed, powerful front end featuring more distinctive air intakes. With its 17-inch wheels painted in titanium grey, the Toledo FR Line has an even more masculine stance. A tinted rear windscreen and rear-side windows add emphasis to its taut lines. Its distinctive appearance is rounded off by exterior mirror casings painted in titanium grey, LED rear lights, fog lamps and FR logos front and back.

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SEAT is also showcasing the new Leon ST CUPRA to the public in Geneva, which joins the three and five-door versions. The family-sized estate version of SEAT's sportiest model is a unique combination of top performance, style and utility. The Leon ST CUPRA 280 accelerates from 0 to 100 km/h in just 6.0 seconds and features a maximum load space of 1,470 litres. The new Leon ST CUPRA is a consistent winner in terms of design, road manners and excellent value-for-money, and is the perfect sports car for all aspects of life, from work and family, to sports and hobbies.



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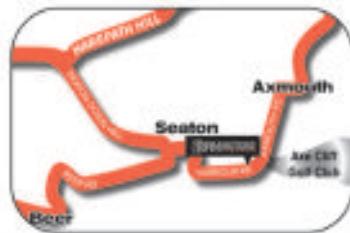
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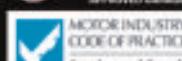
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# Local football round-up

## Honiton Town surge four points clear

### Axminster in penalty lottery, Seaton stun high-flying Heavitree

SWP Division One (E)	Pld	Pts
Tiverton Town Res	19	47
Heavitree Utd	20	41
Filton Res	18	39
Sidmouth Utd	19	34
Elmores Res	20	34
Okehampton Argyle	25	31
Crediton Utd	28	31
Tones & Dartington	23	30
Plymstock Utd	25	25
Bideleigh Salterton	25	25
Crediton Utd	22	23
Newton Abbot Spurs	26	21
Exwick Villa	22	18
Axminster Town	23	18

D&E Premier	Pld	Pts
Tiverton Town Res	19	47
Heavitree Utd	20	41
Filton Res	18	39
Sidmouth Utd	19	34
Elmores Res	20	34
Okehampton Argyle	25	31
Crediton Utd	28	31
Tones & Dartington	23	30
Plymstock Utd	25	25
Bideleigh Salterton	25	25
Crediton Utd	22	23
Newton Abbot Spurs	26	21
Exwick Villa	22	18
Axminster Town	23	18

D&E Division One	Pld	Pts
Honiton Town	17	44
Newton St Cyres	18	40
Exeter University 3rds	17	39
Clyst Valley	20	29
Exwick Villa Res	11	27
Witheridge Res	18	25
Exmouth Amateurs	17	24
Westex Rovers	18	23
Alphington Utd	17	19
East Budleigh	23	19
Lymington	18	18
Wellington Town Res	17	17
Bideleigh	17	15
Heavitree Utd Res	20	12

D&E Division Two	Pld	Pts
Colyton	24	49
Exeter University 4ths	19	46
Newtown Res	22	43
Chumleigh	20	42
Upottery	16	40
Cullompton Rangers Res	17	35
Sidmouth Town Res	16	33*
Hemyock	18	21
North Tawton	18	20
Dawlish Utd	18	19*
Halwill	21	19
Crediton Utd Res	21	18
Culm Utd	16	14
Topsham Town Res	21	10
Newton Poppleford	21	6*

D&E Division Three	Pld	Pts
Exmouth Town Res	21	47
Henry's Cronies	17	42
Chagford	22	41
Lyme Regis	20	40
Exeter University 5ths	17	37
Cheriton Fitzpaine	19	25
Clyst Valley Res	23	23
Tedburn St Mary	15	18
Axmouth Utd	18	16
Thorverton Res	19	16
Axminster Town Res	22	16*
Exmouth Amateurs Res	20	15
Pinhoe	22	12

D&E Division Four	Pld	Pts
Exmouth Town Res	21	47
Henry's Cronies	17	42
Chagford	22	41
Lyme Regis	20	40
Exeter University 5ths	17	37
Cheriton Fitzpaine	19	25
Clyst Valley Res	23	23
Tedburn St Mary	15	18
Axmouth Utd	18	16
Thorverton Res	19	16
Axminster Town Res	22	16*
Exmouth Amateurs Res	20	15
Pinhoe	22	12

D&E Division Five	Pld	Pts
Otterton	24	46
Fluxton	19	42
Sandford	19	37
Honiton Town Res	18	38
Uplowman Athletic	20	37
Samford Peverell	20	36
Halwill Res	19	30
Fenton Res	20	24
Priory	15	19
Starcross Generals	19	19
Instow Town Res	20	16
Winkleigh	15	15
Hatherleigh Town Res	21	15
Stoke Hill	21	9

D&E Division Six	Pld	Pts
Otterton	24	46
Fluxton	19	42
Sandford	19	37
Honiton Town Res	18	38
Uplowman Athletic	20	37
Samford Peverell	20	36
Halwill Res	19	30
Fenton Res	20	24
Priory	15	19
Starcross Generals	19	19
Instow Town Res	20	16
Winkleigh	15	15
Hatherleigh Town Res	21	15
Stoke Hill	21	9

D&E Division Seven	Pld	Pts
South Zeal Utd	15	36
Whipton & Pinhoe	13	36
Winchester	13	36
Offwell Rangers	20	32
Pinhoe Res	18	29
Central FC	16	26
Alphington 3rds	19	23
Cheriton Fitzpaine Res	19	23
Pinhoe Res	18	21
Elmore 3rds	16	21*
Chagford Res	16	19
Tivvy Park Rangers	13	18
Lymington Res	20	14*
Seaton Town Res	19	6

D&E League Reports	Pld	Pts
Peniton 2 Beer Albion 1		
Premier Division		
BEER Albion visited local rivals Peniton on Saturday and were a bit unlucky to go down 2-1 in a close, hardfought encounter.		
The Fishermen were without striker James Melville and full-back Andrew Foster but after last week's issues it was good to see a full substitutes' bench.		
Peniton started strongly and only some poor finishing kept Albion on level terms.		
Fenny continued to dominate possession but Beer were well-marshalled by skipper Ollie Morgan.		
The hosts went ahead after 48 minutes through Dan Norman who slotted home		

after a mazy run.

The Fishermen responded well and deservedly equalised on 61 minutes when a long throw from Josh Harrison was flicked on at the near post by Jacob Clode to Richard Walker who created enough space to toe-poke a shot wide of the Fenny keeper.

The Fishermen went close to taking the lead through Clode with a clever lob and then Sam Phillips hit the crossbar with a great effort.

The game was now end-to-end and in the 82nd minute Norman scored the winner after the Beer defence were caught square.

Beer's next home game at the Furzebrake is on Saturday when they entertain Willand Rovers Reserves in the D & E Premier - Kkick off is at 3pm and the Match sponsor will be Osborne's Coffee and Wine Bar, Fore Street, Beer.

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In Division Seven PINHOE were shocked by going behind at AMORY GREEN ROVERS but picked themselves up to win the basement game 7-1.

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## bowl round-up

### Exciting season nears end

HONITON with Julie Grant

AS the indoor bowling season draws to an end players are hoping to reach club, county and national finals.

So far Honiton ladies have got to a national final but Trevor Pipe & Yvonne Rayner remain on course for another final as they have won the Area 31 Generation Pairs.

Within the county Scott Eveleigh has made it to the final of the Under 21s and Ann Brown, Julie Grant & Shirley Hiscocks have won through to the county triples final on March 21st.

Sue Evans narrowly missed out on the county fours final but she will contest the Champion of Champions semi-final also on March 21st at Torbay and aim to compete in the final that afternoon.

The Foxlands Trophy Inter Club ladies county league has been completed and Honiton are runners up in Division One and so win the Springfield trophy which will be presented at the county luncheon on April 20th.

The last league game was a win against Plymouth gaining six valuable points and an 11 shot difference which ensured second place. Top rink was Sally Spreadbury, Marian Vessey, Joan Heard & Sue Evans 23-14.

In the week's mixed friendlies Honiton won twice, 89-58 against Pincers Gardens; top rink Joan Mackintosh, Carol Armitage, Paul Gadd & skip Mike Critchley 30-10, and 65-52 against Madeira; top rink Gloria Randal, Mike Uniacke, Ken Clarke and skip Marian Vessey. Then Honiton lost 72-81 to Pheasant Park with top rink David Tooley, Gill Munslow, Yvonne Williams & skip Alan Fuller 30-8.

## weightlifting honiton

### More success for Morgan

HONITON'S Chris Morgan has successfully defended his British Deadlift Championship titles.

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**'FITA 18' results**

Ladies	Compound	Score	Golds
W.Brown 1st.....554	19		
Jnr gents	Compound	Score	Golds
B.Cardy 1st.....504	4		
Compound	Score	Golds	
M.Cardy 4th.....550	18		
Compound	Score	Golds	
R.Spencer 6th.....450	6		

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\*Home team Walkover-

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**Beer League** Pld Pts Old Inn Kilmington.....21 39

Ship Inn LR.....21 54 Axminster Con Club.....20 52 Nags Head LR.....21 52 Old Inn Kilmington.....21 46 Gerrard Arms.....21 45 Stepps.....20 43 Cloakham Lawns.....21 42 Talbot Arms.....19 41

**Division Three** Pld Pts Tother Lot.....18 36 Village Inn.....19 28 Highfield Sports.....18 24 Allsorts.....19 22 New Inn Kilmington.....21 33 Lamb Swans.....21 32 Nags Head LR.....21 31 Stepps.....20 30 Royal Oak.....21 29 Talbot Arms.....19 28

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**COLTON LEAGUE** Singles trophy (top three from each group to final - at

**Table - week 21** Pld Pts

New Inn Kilmington.....21 66 Beer Club.....21 63 Lamb Swans.....21 58 Royal Oak.....21 58

## netball honiton league

# All change at the top as Hi Q defeat Otters

WHAT a week in the top flight - defeats for Otters and Flamingos combined with wins for Hi Q and Uplowman gave the table a new look.

Uplowman finished their season with a 30-15 victory over Flamingos, that denied Flamingos a point and put Uplowman on top of the table on goal difference.

The game had to be halted at the end of the third quarter but the re-

sult stood. Emma Burroughs was the Uplowman pick whilst Sonia Yorke took the Flamingos plaudits.

Having had a long unbeaten run, the Otters season has come of the rails recently and they went down to a 26-13 defeat at the hands of Hi Q, the win also denied Otters a point.

Hi Q got off to a thunderous start taking full advantage of Otters starting the game two players down to lead 11-

1.

With Emma Truscott playing well they continued to dominate a now full-strength Otters who started to pull back in the final quarter thanks to good work from Carole Goddard.

The Final first division game was between the bottom two sides with Tip Top trees coming out on top 34-22.

Rachel Cavin was the Trees star whilst Tanya Broom picked up the honour for JD.

Division One	Pd	GD	Pts
Uplowman.....	15	167	32
Otters.....	13	143	32
Hi Q.....	12	120	31
Flamingos.....	13	167	29
Tip Top Trees.....	13	210	11
JD Tyres.....	14	387	4

## Division Two

SIGNS South west took another step towards promotion back to the first division with their 12th successive win.

For three quarters of the game it looked as though a Catherine

Phillips-inspired Otter Valley would end the run as they held the lead.

But SSW pulled it back in the final quarter to win 25-20 thanks to Nicola Lane's performance.

With Otter Valley only picking up a single point, a win for Howden Hawks would move them into second place.

With Nicky Vile in good form, Howden proved too strong for Blackdown Ladies, for whom Kirsty Selway played well and their 30-12 win was enough.

Sidmouth Toucans also kept themselves in the promotion hunt thanks to their 32-16 win over A&P Pixies.

Both Anna Rowson and Louise Neilson played well for Toucans whilst Sara Pearce was the Pixies pick.

Division Two	Pd	GD	Pts
Signs SW.....	12	198	36
Howden Hawks.....	13	27	28
Otter Valley.....	13	23	27
Sidmouth Touc.....	12	34	26
A&P Pixies.....	14	-171	14
B'down Ladies.....	12	-111	10

## cricket honiton

### Ranks boosted by new arrivals

HONITON Cricket Club has this week secured the transfer of five new players from neighbours Feniton CC.

Firstly they welcome back former first team captain Brian Cann and player Adrian Pullin, they are joined by former Honiton Colts Jake Smith, Ben Kidson and young spin bowler William Cowley.

Honiton Chairman Andrew Lapping said: "It's no secret that we struggled for players last year which ultimately led to both sides getting relegated."

"But we are turning things around after an ordinary couple of years and are moving things forward both on and off the field."

"In Brian and Adrian we are getting

some very experienced players who perform at a consistent level season after season.

"Both will also bring a lot of knowledge of how to win matches.

"Having coached Ben and Jake for a couple seasons I am no stranger to what they will bring to our club. Jake is a very destructive batsmen - as we found out against Feniton last season!"

"Ben is a very good all-rounder with plenty of potential and we have heard some positive things about William and his ability with the ball."

"These are exciting times for our club - we will be revealing new sponsors soon and there are plenty of exciting things in the pipeline."

## tennis seaton

### More success for Seaton Ladies

SEATON Tennis Club's Ladies B team is on its way to success at the top of Division Three of the Exeter & District Winter League, following the spectacular progress of the Ladies A team in leading Division Two.

Both teams are currently 19 points ahead of their nearest rivals, meaning the ladies will reach the top two divisions in just two years in the Winter League.

Seaton Tennis Club has a full range of junior, teen and adult coaching programmes, ranging from beginners to performance standard.

There are seven club sessions during the week with adult beginners and intermediate coached Pay and Play sessions twice a week.

New sessions are planned from Easter including Cardio Tennis and Tennis Xpress for adult beginners.

## Division Three

Division Three	Pld	Pts
Colcombe Girls.....	16	24
Thorn Newtops.....	16	24
Tuckers Arms B.....	14	18
Thorncombe A.....	15	16
WH Wilm A.....	14	14
Cloakham Castways.....	15	14
Seaton FC.....	15	12
Seaton FC Antics.....	14	10
Gerrard A.....	14	10
Axe Inn Allsorts.....	15	6

## EAST DEVON HUNT

Division One	Pld	Pts
Tuckers A.....	273	(M Gardner 56)
Blacksmiths.....	20	28
Marvels.....	20	28
Culm Vale.....	21	26
Zulu Warriors.....	20	17
Ur Arrows.....	17	16
Breakaways.....	20	12
Marsh Green.....	20	11
Stags.....	20	10

## Division Two

Division Two	Pld	Pts
Talaton.....	18	26
A Team.....	19	24
Honiton Clyst.....	18	22
Broadclyst.....	18	20
Tuckers Arms.....	18	18
Latecomers.....	19	18
Cocks & Hens.....	16	16
Perkins Village.....	16	16
Yoyo's.....	17	16
Jack's Lads.....	18	16
Top Cats.....	18	16
Keepers.....	17	12
Blackdown Boys.....	16	8

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## Division Four

Division Four	Pld	Pts
Wootton Sherbets.....	21	33
Axminster Inn A.....	20	32
Gerrard B.....	22	30
Red Lion B.....	21	24
Axminster Inn B.....	21	24
Colcombe B.....	22	23
Old Inn Hawk A.....	22	22
Gerrard B.....	21	24
Hawk Halfcuts.....	23	14
Axminster Inn A.....	21	24
Colcombe B.....	22	21
Old Inn Hawk A.....	22	21
Tucker's Maggots.....	21	20
Tuckers Arms B.....	22	19
Colcombe B.....	21	18
WH Warriors.....	22	16
Old Inn Hawk IV.....	21	14
The George.....	22	10
The Bottle.....	22	10
Gerrard Guzzlers.....	15	10

## Division Two

Division Two	Pld	Pts
Lamb A.....	16	22
Tuckers Arms C.....	14	18
Lamb 9s.....	19	28
King Wingers.....	19	24
Kings Army Seaton.....	16	17
New Inn A.....	14	16
PJs Social Club.....	15	16
Tuckers Arms A.....	15	15
Old Inn Kilmington.....	16	14
Goldtops.....	16	12
Cee Dee's.....	17	12
New Inn.....	18	11
Tale Nibs.....	10	10
Yetties.....	15	10

## Top Scorers:

Steve Webber	88
Len Wyatt	87
Andrew Knight	86
Dean Vanstone	both
Colcombe B	86

**short-mat bowls axe valley**

Evening Div 1	P	SD	Pts
Awliscombe.....	11	304	18
Upottery.....	9	63	10
Bear.....	11	129	14
Sidbury.....	10	96	11
Colyton.....	11	38	10
Upottery.....	11	-85	9
Musbury.....	9	66	7
Sidford.....	10	247	7
Seaton Cliff.....	9	169	6
Evening Div 2	P	SD	Pts
West Hill.....	10	172	16
Sidbury Whites.....	10	70	11
Ottery St Mary.....	10	4	10
Membray.....	10	-55	10
Awliscombe B.....	10	-24	9
Colyton B.....	10	-43	9
Uffculme.....	10	-81	8
Sidbury Reds.....	10	-43	7
Afternoon Div 1	P	SD	Pts
Colyton.....	8	137	13
Bear.....	9	160	11

**cricket chardstock cc****Players required**

**CHARDSTOCK** Cricket Club held their annual meeting recently writes Frank Huddy.

Club chairman Edward Eames made special mention of the sterling work carried out by Richard Parris both on the ground and behind the scenes.

As usual the chairman has been very helpful with various projects and would be carrying on in the role.

In his capacity as treasurer Richard Parris reported a sound financial position that had been boosted by a generous donation by Mr & Mrs R.Cars who were then voted in as CCC Life Members.

Mr Parris also mentioned the 100 club which al-

though running smoothly had room for more members.

Captain Rob Hutchings said more players would be welcomed and confirmed that the team would be competing in Devon League Division D (east) which would cut down on the amount of travelling required.

A grant has also been received for badly needed new sightscreens and practice wicket.

Fixtures are set to commence on April 26th. For details of practice sessions call Rob on 01460 221245.

The club's annual jumble sale and auction is scheduled for Friday, March 27th from 7pm at Chardstock Community Hall.

**running avr and honiton rc****All welcome****Axe Valley Runners**

with Dave Mutter

MANY people start running and are put off joining running clubs often because they think they are for 'fast racing snakes' only.

All of East Devon's running clubs welcome new runners of all abilities and AVR has a dedicated evening for slower runners (Friday's from 6.30 to 7.30pm meeting near the Tramway toilets) and for absolute beginners there is a group that meet on Thursday mornings 9.30am at the same location.

Robert Kerr started running last October in the absolute beginners' group and completed his first race on Saturday at **Taunton 5k** park run in a time of 29:49 and was 167th in a field of 273.

Geoff Woodward and Steve Reynolds were the only AVR members that made the trip to Cheddar to take part in **The Big Cheese** event; an off-road run of 15 miles with over 2000ft of climb.

The race started in a narrow lane and climbed 800ft in the first two miles up a stony track then continued over the Mendips. Reynolds finished in 2hrs 27mins 32secs with Woodward just 20 seconds back.

Newly crowned club female Runner of the Year for the Club Kathy Layzell recorded a pb to come 683rd in 2:07:53.

The race was won by Shaun Antell in the amazing time of 1:10:50 and there were 849 finishers.

**Half Marathon.**

Sold as a fast, flat race runners reported a number of undulations as they left Bideford before returning on the pancake flat Tarka Trail.

The forecast was for rain and down it came!

Nevertheless, Hadleigh Davies had a great run finishing very close to his personal best time for the distance. He finished 90th in 1 hour 28 minutes and 47 seconds.

Steve Davey was next back finishing 169th in 1:36:06 with Bruce Strawbridge hot on his heels having had a great run finishing in 17th place and just 18 seconds later.

Judy Davey led the Honiton ladies home to come 248th in 1:40:09.

Paul Williams found he still had Grizzly in his legs but did well to come 270th in 1:41:22 while Mark Dallyn finished 305th in 1:43:18.

Mark had to find a last minute burst of energy when he realised Roger Saunders was right behind him and that's how they entered the finish funnel.

Richard Terry came 418th in 1:51:06 while Jenny Sleeman put in another great half marathon finishing at about the same time as she always does in 1:52:57 and 440th place.

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**Honiton RC**

with Judy Davey

TEN Honiton Running Club members travelled to North Devon on Sunday to take part in the **Bideford**

**rugby honiton 1st XV****Relegation fears eased as Saracens are cut down****Honiton 20 Exeter Saracens 12**

*Tribute Cornwall/Devon*

ON a glorious afternoon at Allhallows Honiton entertained Exeter Saracens in what was a crucial match for both sides. The visitors sit one place below Honiton in the league and just one point above the drop zone.

Honiton won the toss and elected to play up the field and it was clear they had intent when Jason Hannay broke from a ruck to win the foot race to the line.

Honiton then had the lion's share of possession and with the return of Will Goulden in the front row his crew dominated the set piece to give Honiton good platform ball.

Moments later they scored again with a converted try and at 12-15

They increased their lead on 16 minutes when Robbie Harrison bulldozed over from short range. Webber kicked the extras for a comfortable 12-0 lead.

Despite several near misses there was no further scoring before the break.

With the advantage of the slope in the second-half the hosts were perhaps guilty of thinking the job was done and two consecutive sin bindings didn't help matters.

The Lacemans kicked an early penalty to go 15-0 up but Sarries got back into the game with a well worked try.

Moments later they scored again with a converted try and at 12-15

**Sidbury trio edge out Beer boys**

◆ FINALISTS: East Devon Short Mat Bowls League Chairman David Haylor presents trophies to runners-up Beer and winners Sidbury.

**CLOAKHAM** Lawns played host to the East Devon & District Jurassic Bowls 2nd Annual Triples Competition last week with 24 teams of three played round-robin games of 10 ends

The winners of each group and two highest runner-ups went on to play in the quarter finals.

Uffculme's Richard Williams trailed from the start and were beaten by Beer's Peter Sydenham and team.

There were also wins for Biddesham and Uffculme over Combe St Nicholas and Winkleigh respectively.

The last quarter final saw Colyton's Peter Morgan and team face Sidbury's Eric Pavey and team. After

four ends Sidbury trailed 10-2 down, but by the 10th end it was 14-14 which led to an extra end.

After the Colyton skip had delivered his last bowl he was holding shot, but Sidbury's Eric Pavey still had a bowl to go, and with only a small space to squeeze through he drew the bowl to take shot and clinch a place in the final.

The Semi finals saw Beer comfortably taking victory over Biddesham and Sidbury easing past Uffculme.

The final was a topsy-turvy affair, but by the fifth end Sidbury took control and completed a well deserved win over a battling Beer team



◆ MATCH ACTION: Honiton RFC recorded a fine 20-12 win over Exeter Saracens at the weekend



Photos by JERRY RICE

**darts news****Lyme Regis**

Current table Pld Pts

Rousdon Club.....15 30

Nags Head A.....14 25

Nags Z.....13 19

Rockpoint.....12 18

Jammers.....14 16

Four Play.....14 13

Royal Standard.....13 12

Talbot Arms.....13 10

Hunter Lodge.....13 9

Withycombe.....22 449 80

Pirates Amateurs.....22 358 70

Paignton.....22 125 64

Bude.....22 -1 58

Falmouth.....22 39 55

Bodmin.....22 38 52

HONITON.....22 -108 43

Hayle.....22 -143 43

Exeter Saracens.....22 -340 33

Old Plymouthians & M.....22 -420 31

South Molton.....22 -441 13

Liskeard-Looe.....22 -692 -5

With a weekend off there is still work to do to ensure Honiton remain safe in the league, Falmouth are the visitors on March 21st.

But they kept plugging away and, despite several opportunities and five-metre scums they managed to keep the visitors at bay.

Thankfully with time running out

Honiton breached the Sarries defence and Goulden crashed over for a crucial score to seal a 20-12 victory.

This was an important win but it

really should have been more

comfortable but a victory was the

order of the day.

The scrum was dominant

throughout which was pleasing

and young Jack Proctor was picked

out as Honiton man of the match.

**snooker****seaton league**

RESULTS - March 3rd:

Honiton WMC 4+4 Chard

Casulas 2+2, Chard

IZZA147 2+0 Honiton Wonderers 4+4, Colyton Feds

4+0 Sidmouth Allsorts 2+0,

Colyton TC 4+6 Colyton

ExCons 2+0.

League Table Pld Pts

Wonders.....16 64

Chard IZZA147.....16 58

Colyton Feds.....16 55

Honiton WMC.....16 48

Colyton ExCons.....16 47

Chard Casuals.....16 44

Colyton TC.....16 44

Sidmouth Allsorts.....16 21

Bruce Miller Cup Pld Pts

Colyton Feds.....16 93

Colyton TC.....16 82

Honiton WMC.....16 74

Chard IZZA147.....16 74

Wonders.....16 70

Colyton ExCons.....16 69

Chard Casuals.....16 68

Sidmouth Allsorts.....16 37

**football seaton women & girls****Players required**

SEATON Youth Football field an under 16 Girls team in the Devon Girls League with 14 fixtures played on Sunday mornings.

The team has enjoyed a successful first year and new players are needed for next season.

If you are interested and are currently in Years 10 or 11 at school, please get in touch with the Club via the details below.

Until two years ago Seaton Women fielded a team in the Devon Womens League and it is hoped to reform the side for next season. A meeting will be held on Sunday, April 19th at 12 noon in the Seaton Town FC clubhouse on Colyford Road to discuss this - all those interested are most welcome to attend.

Further details on both of the above issues can be obtained from Jamie Bond, Seaton Girls Manager, on 07703647709.

If you are under the age of 16 please will you ask a parent to make the initial call.

**golf axe cliff and honiton****Cox and Vincent heading for another title**

Stableford competition Linda McLaughlin was the winner with 15 points.

**Seniors Section**

A BLUSTERY Friday saw the Seniors play their February Stableford plus Winter Eclectic.

Scoring wasn't spectacular but the individual winners were very close.

Division One finished; John Fleetwood 36, Jim Wallis 36, Mike Ward 35, Dave Morgan 35, Dave Maggs 35.

In Division Two, the outcome was; Peter Blake 37, Steve Blundell 36, Howard Pritchard 36, Bill Phillips 35, Bill Eaton 34.

In Division Three, the outcome was; Peter Blake 37, Steve Blundell 36, Howard Pritchard 36, Bill Phillips 35, Bill Eaton 34.

There were three twos - Norman Runciman on 2, Bill Eaton on 10th, David Hughes on 12th.

**AXE CLIFF with Rob Grove**

THE penultimate round of the Seniors Winter League has left the title almost in the hands of the holders.

Alan Vincent & Gilbert Cox maintained their grip on the championship with a steady 33 points despite the efforts of the rest of the field to wrest it from them.

Neil Moorcraft & Malcolm Glass kept up their assault with a commendable 35 points and did the pairing of Roger Wright & Rob Grove.

But, unless a partnership can come

up with a remarkable score in the final round, it does seem that Alan and Gilbert will be defending their title once again next year. The only two of the day came from Chris Walker.

On Sunday, March 1st the Men played their March Medal.

Result: Division One - 1st Alex Gabb, 2nd Paul Curtin. Division Two - 1st Steve Bond, 2nd Nigel Garwood.

On Wednesday, March 4th the Ladies played the Count Prize 2, result: 1st Caroline Bond, 2nd Lesley Crawford and 3rd Alison Cook.

But, unless a partnership can come

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# Howzat! Duo swap Axminster for Seaton

SEATON Cricket Club have gained the services of former Axminster duo Joel Seward and Robbie Prior for the forthcoming season.

Seward, who scored 623 runs last season at an average of just over 69 joined Axminster at the age of 10 and made his 1st XI debut at the age of 14. He had a three year spell with Chard between 2010 and 2012 and also played for every devon age group between under 14s and under 21s.

On his move to Seaton, Joel said: "With the new regionalised league format structure now in place it was a no brainer for me to join such a big club like Seaton who seem to have a strong intention to climb the ladder in the Devon League."

"Over the past couple of seasons I have played a few friendlies at Court Lane and enjoy every opportunity to get out onto one of the best ground in East Devon."

"I would like to thank Axminster for all their

help and wish them all the best for the up and coming season."

Prior joins after only a couple of appearances in 2014 due to knee surgery, but in 2013 he played a huge part with the ball in Axminster's promotion to the B division.

He also joined Axminster at the age of 10 and played for all their youth and senior teams before becoming a regular opening bowler for their 1st XI.

Prior, who played for Dorset at youth level and spent a season in Melbourne in 2012 scoring three centuries and taking 24 wickets is currently travelling in Canada.

He said: "I have been best friends with Seaton 1st XI captain Ben Morgan for 15 years and I believe the only time we played cricket together was at school, so I am very much looking forward to being on the same side as him."

"I am excited about a new challenge and I

believe Seaton can put up a strong challenge this season."

"I have had a great time playing for Axminster for the last 14 years and would like to wish them all the best for the season ahead."

Morgan was delighted with the signings, he said: "Growing up with Joel and Robbie and playing with them for Axminster under 17s and at school I know that they are two very good players and have performed at a very good level."

"The restructuring of the leagues means we are playing in the C Division this term whereas last year we were playing in the D."

"The lads will bring huge experience and quality to the side and we are all looking forward to playing alongside them both."

Anyone else who may want to join the club in the playing department or as a volunteer (scorer, umpire etc) should call Ben Morgan on 07787 436583.



◆ WELCOME ABOARD:  
Seaton skipper Ben  
Morgan (right) pictured  
with Joel Seward.

# Fun for all at inaugural Futsal tournament



◆ CHAMPIONS:  
Colyton A team

THE very first East Devon U12 Futsal Cup was recently won by Colyton A who beat Colyton C in the final. Colyton B were third and Lyme Regis A were fourth.

The Plate was won by Avishayes A with Perry Street B runners-up. Millwey Rise were third and Seaton A fourth.

EDYL spokesman Mike Baker said: "As far as the League is concerned we were very happy with the way the competition panned out, particularly as it kept all the players regularly involved with football at a time of year when we traditionally lose a lot of fixtures to the weather. "The feedback from the Clubs and parents has also been very positive. We will definitely consider doing the same thing next season."



◆ THIRD IN PLATE: Millwey Rise

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